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Beach Channel Association Gets Charter; Main Project Will Be Lynnhaven Inlet-Broad Bay Canal

Work of Dredging Canal to be Finished Before Summer

A state charter was granted yesterday by the State Corporation Commission to the Beach Channel Association. The corporation was formed by Virginia Beach interests for the purpose of developing a canal connecting the western end of Broad Bay with Long Creek near Lynnhaven Inlet. Officers of the corporation are F. P. Murray, president; W. H. Terry, Jr., vice president; and Rufus Light, secretary-treasurer.

The present project is not to be confused with the larger plans now underway sponsored by the Lynnhaven Waterway Improvement Association, according to Mr. Murray, who is commander of the Cavalier Yacht and Country Club.

"It's purpose," he said, "is to give the Beach a serviceable channel until such time as the Lynnhaven Inlet dredging is realized. When that goes through, this canal will be made seven feet deep, one hundred feet wide, and the fixed bridge will be replaced with a draw."

The canal proposed by the new corporation will make the distance between Virginia Beach and Lynnhaven Inlet a half mile shorter; the running time will be shortened by half an hour. The greatly increased number of small craft in these waters is expected to benefit greatly by the improvement, and Norfolk workmen are expected to take advantage of the canal to come to Virginia Beach by boat.

The canal, which is three-quarters of a mile long and thirty feet wide, will be dredged to a depth of five feet. The project also calls for the construction of a fixed bridge with a vertical clearance of 12½ feet over the canal on Great Neck Road. The total cost of the project will be approximately \$16,000, with the county highway fund bearing the cost of the bridge and local interests providing funds for the dredging. The association hopes to have the work started about April 1 and completed for the coming season.

The project, together with the Narrows channel, which was completed last summer, will provide a navigable waterway from Lynnhaven Inlet to Virginia Beach and enable the many small craft in this area to visit the resort.

Civic League Plans "Open Meeting" January 24

Town Manager Lockwood To Be Principal Speaker

Town Manager Lawrence Lockwood will be the principal speaker at an open meeting planned by the South Virginia Beach Civic League for January 24 in the Willoughby T. Cooke School auditorium, at 8 p.m.

Mr. Lockwood will take as his subject "The Bond Issue and Related Subjects." The Civic League has issued invitations to members of the town council, civic and religious organizations, community leaders and the public to attend the meeting which spokesmen for the group describe as being of vital interest to all citizens of Virginia Beach.

Mrs. Margaret Klepper, who announced the meeting, said that it would take the place of the regularly scheduled meeting which takes place on the third Monday of each month. "The regular meeting for January will be combined with the open meeting, and will take place on January 24," she said.

Town Officials Request Decision On Water Rates

Reply Promised Within Next Four To Six Weeks

A reply to Virginia Beach's request for renewal of its water contract with the City of Norfolk at "reasonable" rates has been promised by City Manager C. A. Harrell within the next four to six weeks. It was revealed by Town Manager Lawrence Lockwood.

Mr. Lockwood and other town officials met with City Manager Harrell on Wednesday to iron out the rate if possible. The hike in the rate charged to Princess Anne County as proposed by Mr. Harrell had been termed as "prohibitive" by the County Board of Supervisors at a recent meeting, and a proposal was made by that board that the county study, in cooperation with Virginia Beach, the possibilities of an independent supply. At the time the proposal reached the town council, Town Manager Lockwood had said that he "hoped to trade with Norfolk if it can be done on a reasonable basis."

Town Manager Harrell told the Beach delegation that there would be a rise in the rate for delivery of water in quantity to the Beach, but that the amount had not been determined. Unlike other outside consumers of Norfolk water, the Beach water is delivered to a meter at the outskirts of the town, and from there the town takes over, billing customers for maintaining lines and chlorination.

The township currently pays 18 cents per thousand gallons as provided for in a contract expiring January 1, 1950.

Present from Virginia Beach at the conference were Town Manager Lawrence Lockwood, Vice Mayor H. E. Halstead, Roy Smith, town attorney; Worth Petty, sanitary engineer; Carrol C. Boudry, town engineer, and Richard Jones, town treasurer.

Sidney Kellam Heads Battle's Campaign Staff

The name of Sidney S. Kellam, Princess Anne County Treasurer, headed up the list of State Senator John S. Battle's campaign staff in the forthcoming gubernatorial primary, which he recently released.

Mr. Kellam, who is chairman of the Second District Democratic Committee, directed the Democratic campaign in the Second District last November. Speaking soon after the announcement of his appointment, he promised an energetic campaign, which he declared will be got under way at once.

Campaigning for Senator Battle, who is the so-called Administration candidate, will be carried on by separate committees for each subdivision instead of on a district-wide basis as before.

Campaign headquarters will be located in the Hotel Richmond, and Mr. Kellam early this week opened up for business there at once. No details of the campaign he will lead have been made public by Mr. Kellam yet.

Other candidates for the governorship are Horace H. Edwards, former Richmond mayor; Colonel Francis Pickens Miller, of Albemarle, and Remmie L. Arnold, Petersburg manufacturer.

VFW Auxiliary to Meet January 10
The V. F. W. Auxiliary 7106 will hold its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Joe Miller on Monday, January 10, at 8 p.m.

March of Dimes Organizes for All-Out Drive

Mrs. Crosby Tells Workers, Chairmen Of Foundation's Plans

Virginia Beach and Princess Anne County March of Dimes workers and their chairmen on Wednesday heard Mrs. Albert V. Crosby, of Norfolk, State Director of Women's Activities for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, describe the work of the Foundation and the plans for the future.

The drive for funds, which begins next Friday, January 14, and lasts through the month, is under the direction of Mrs. Wallace Clark. Mrs. Clark declared that plans are completed for an all-out drive, and that workers are set for a successful campaign.

The local Rotary Club started the fund when it voted Monday night to contribute \$100 to the March of Dimes. "I hope all other clubs and civic leagues will follow suit," Mrs. Clark said.

Mrs. Crosby, in her address to March of Dimes workers, said that during the last summer, epidemic funds were exhausted, and that all local chapters are being asked to volunteer funds to the state pool for epidemic work. (Princess Anne County last year gave \$1,500 to the state pool for this work.)

The cost of nursing care for victims of poliomyelitis in an iron lung is \$1,000 a week, Mrs. Crosby said, and the "Foundation will come in to aid regardless of the financial circumstances of the family."

She made a plea for local women to take special training in the event of an epidemic, and added the warning that epidemics often strike in places previously considered immune.

Officers for the campaign, in addition to Mrs. Clark, are Miss Louise Luford, county chairman, assisted by Mrs. Frank Kellam; Mrs. W. C. Everett, coin collection chairman; Mrs. A. N. Holmes, theatre collection chairman; Mrs. Albert Rudolph, chairman of the Kemperville district; Mrs. Clyde Abalom, chairman Lynnhaven district; Mrs. Walter Menden, chairman Pungo district; Mrs. Ellis Dixon, chairman Seaboard district; Mrs. Luther Gilbert, chairman Blackwater district.

Mrs. O. B. Bell is president of the local chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis; Mrs. Sidney Kellam, vice president; Mrs. Edridge Whitehurst, secretary, and Mrs. Roland Thorpe, treasurer.

Contest for Radio Script Announced By Little Theatre

Mrs. J. W. Sills, publicity chairman of the Little Theatre of Virginia Beach, announces a contest for a radio script suitable for production on WTAR's "Norfolk Speaks" program. The script must contain material which will further the progress of the Little Theatre and hold the public's interest. The method of presentation is left to the individual.

Mrs. Sills and Pierre Hathaway, assistant program director of station WTAR, will be the judges. They will select the script which, from their standpoint, is most interesting and most suitable. This script will be presented on the air, and the winner will receive a pair of tickets for the performance of "Junior Miss" which will be produced on February 14-15 at the Community House.

Try-outs for "Junior Miss" were held January 4-5-6 at the Little Theatre Workshop. There was a gratifying show of interest among the teen-agers who showed up to read for the ten "under 20" roles. The casting committee would like to thank all of them, and regrets only that there were not enough parts to go around. A tentative cast was selected, on a week's trial basis.

D. CONRAD LITTLE

Little to Manage New Norfolk Office of Insurance Company

D. Conrad Little, who has been general agent for the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company at Richmond since 1932, will transfer to the Norfolk office of the company, according to an announcement made recently. The transfer is at Mr. Little's request to the city where he started as an agent for the Provident Mutual many years ago.

The company is creating a new agency at Norfolk, with Mr. Little as general agent, to cover the entire Tidewater section of Virginia.

J. Robert Nolly has been appointed general agent in Richmond to fill the place left vacant by Mr. Little's transfer, and W. Toller Nolly will be associated with his brother as a personal producer in the Richmond agency.

H. Gilbert Leigh, who has been serving as district manager at Norfolk, will continue to serve the new Norfolk agency in a similar capacity.

Mr. Little and his family will make their home at Virginia Beach about June 1, or upon completion of improvements to their home on 53rd Street.

Hubbard Reports On Secondary Road Program in County

Repairs of heavy winter damage incurred last winter made up the major part of the secondary road program of the State Highway Department in Princess Anne County during the year just ended. Funds made available for the county were channelled into rebuilding of seriously damaged roads instead of new construction.

In addition, normal maintenance procedures and improvement of school and rural farm roads were important on the list of accomplishments in the county. Major improvements included completion of the Pungo Ridge Road near the North Carolina border, totaling 14 miles. More than three miles were widened and curves eliminated or decreased, and the entire length was ditched and drained.

Rebuilding of weakened bridges was another step in maintaining the usefulness of the county's roads, according to E. D. Hubbard, resident engineer for the Highway Department. The Blackwater bridge, on Route 606, was also strengthened to increase its capacity from 4 tons to 14, and five small wooden bridges were replaced with culverts.

In addition to the regular maintenance program, five subdivision streets were built, 1.5 miles of secondary roads hard-surfaced, 7.5 miles resurfaced with soil or gravel, and 5 miles of already hard-surfaced roads were resurfaced.

Bishop William A. Brown, of the Diocese of Southern Virginia, will speak at the historic Eastern Shore Chapel at Oceana at 11:00 a.m. on Sunday. He will conduct the service of holy communion.

Town Council Passes Revised Ordinance Authorizing Bond Sale

Cooke PTA To Ask Better School Bus Facilities

Rev. Van Dyck Speaks On "The American Symphony of Life"

As the news goes to press, it was learned that the PTA committee had received word from Chief of Police Reeves E. Johnson that Norfolk Southern officials had promised that a bus of much larger capacity would be put on the school run to accommodate the school children.

A committee of three from the Willoughby T. Cooke school Parent-Teacher Association will meet with representatives of the Norfolk Southern Bus Corporation in an effort to increase the capacity of the bus which serves the school.

The committee was named at the meeting of the group which was held at the school auditorium on Monday, January 3. The president, Mrs. Charles Field, IV, presided. The principal speaker of the afternoon was Rev. Frank Van Dyck, pastor of the First Methodist Church at Virginia Beach. Rev. Van Dyck took as his subject "The American Symphony of Life."

The group took action at the school bus station after they heard Miss Mary Kellam, principal of the school, describe the crowding of the single bus which takes children to and from school. The bus, she said, has a seating capacity for 35, but actual count by teachers in charge of loading the children after school has disclosed that there are never less than 75 nor more than 75 children who use the bus.

The committee named to confer with Norfolk Southern officials consists of Mrs. William Meredith, Mrs. M. E. Savage and Mrs. C. M. Howard.

Joy Funds Brings Christmas Spirit To 750 People

Organizations Voice Appreciation to Fund Workers

Approximately 750 people, members of 164 families in Princess Anne County, were helped through the Joy Fund this Christmas. A total of \$3,100, slightly over the original goal set, was collected.

Officials for the drive expressed satisfaction at the outcome of the drive. John Bradburne, who handled publicity for the group, declared that it will be easier next year. "We have got some experience now," he said, "that will prove invaluable when we get the drive underway another year. Besides that, the people at Virginia Beach and Princess Anne County know what our aims are. They have an example of the good that we can all do through the Joy Fund, and their response will be perhaps greater, although they were certainly very generous this year."

Mr. Bradburne explained that in helping the needy, due bills were given families certified as being in need which in turn were exchanged for food and clothing, and later redeemed by the merchants in cash from the fund.

Organizations backing the Joy Fund have asked that their special thanks be extended to Mrs. W. J. Parker, Mrs. E. W. Brown, A. C. Peel, Al Craft, Eugene Baker and John Bradburne for their tireless work in making the 1948 drive a success and contributing so wholeheartedly that others might have Christmas in keeping with the traditional spirit of the holiday.

Council Authorizes Borrowing of \$70,000 To Meet Tax, School Notes Due December 31

At a special meeting, held Monday morning, the Virginia Beach Town Council passed on first reading a revised ordinance calling for the sale of \$500,000 in public improvement bonds, and passed on second reading authorization to borrow \$70,000 to cover notes which fell due on December 31, 1948.

Yearly Report of Police Dept. Shows No Major Crimes

Second Consecutive Year Without Single Traffic Fatality

Virginia Beach has just completed its second year without a single traffic fatality, even though its summer streets boast the congested traffic conditions of a summer resort town.

The fact was made public with the report of Police Chief Reeves E. Johnson, who noted that while there was no fatality, traffic accounted for more arrests than any other cause and for more reports telephoned to the police station.

Other facts brought out in the report showed that: drunkenness was the second cause of arrests made; 1,315 arrests were made in 1948 as against 926 for 1947; August was the month of most arrests; there was only one robbery by force reported, and that was filed as unfounded because the complainant, who was intoxicated at the time, failed to report back with full details.

The department totaled 107,564 miles in patrolling and investigating reports; it received a total of 12,632 complaints, and 4,627 of these required local handling by police officers. There were 392 calls to the police headquarters complaining about dogs, the third in number of all complaints filed.

The criminal and civil identification departments were busy throughout the year. A total of 182 new offenders were fingerprinted for civil identification purposes. Criminals photographed numbered 270, while 1,282 civil identification photographs were processed.

Jaycees to Sponsor March of Dimes Dance at Cavalier

The annual March of Dimes dance will be held at the Cavalier Hotel's Panorama Room, according to an announcement by Dr. L. O. Clark, chairman in charge of arrangements.

The dance is being sponsored by the local Junior Chamber of Commerce, and reports indicate that no stone is being left unturned to make it an enjoyable occasion. Although the orchestra which will furnish dance music has not yet been announced, it is learned that it will be one well known for its music.

Admission has been set at \$1.20 per person, and the proceeds will go to the March of Dimes.

Local Ministers Call Attention to Norfolk Preaching Mission

Pastors of Virginia Beach churches have called attention to the Norfolk United Preaching Mission, which is to be conducted by the Norfolk Ministers' Association, January 9 through 16, inclusive.

A spokesman for the local ministers said that they are urging Beach residents to attend. Some of the outstanding leaders in American religious circles will be speakers at the series of day-long programs which are being held in Norfolk's city auditorium and in the Epworth Methodist Church in Norfolk.

Town Manager Lockwood explained that the revision of the original ordinance calling for the bond sale was necessitated because of minor discrepancies in the legal form.

The revised ordinance sets forth the sums which will be used for specific purposes if the bonds are sold. Of the total amount not more than \$75,000 would be used for enlargement of the Willoughby T. Cooke School, \$375,000 for street improvements, curbs, gutters, and drainage, and \$150,000 for major repairs to the seawall and walkway, which has been dangerously weakened by recent storms.

The ordinance, originally passed at the December meeting of the council, petitions Judge Floyd H. Kellam, of the Princess Anne Circuit Court, to set a date for a public referendum of the town's voters to determine the will of the residents on whether or not the bonds will be issued.

The council authorized the borrowing of \$70,000 at a special meeting held December 27, at which time the measure was passed on first reading. The amount was needed in order to meet partially the \$107,000 of tax anticipation and school notes due at the end of the year. The town was able to retire \$27,500.

The \$70,000 is to be borrowed in equal amounts from the Bank of Virginia Beach and the Virginia Beach branch of the Bank of Commerce, at 3½ per cent per annum. In addition, a renewal of \$10,000 of the school note was authorized at the December meeting of the council from the Bank of Commerce, at an interest rate of 1½ per cent.

Members of the council were invited by Mr. Lockwood to attend the conference on January 7 in Richmond at which Mr. Lockwood, Town Attorney Roy Smith, and Town Engineer Carrol Boudry will discuss maintenance of State roads within the boundaries of the town with General James A. Anderson, State Highway Commissioner. According to Attorney Smith, the State has a written contract with the town in which it assumes responsibility for maintaining primary and secondary roads within the town limits of Virginia Beach. "The State has laid down on the job," the attorney declared.

Also scheduled for January 7 will be a conference between Lockwood, Boudry, and Smith and W. A. Wright, head of the State Conservation Commission, concerning possible assistance from the state in combating the effects of erosion at the south end of the beach. Mr. Lockwood recalled that the 1948 General Assembly had appropriated a sum of \$40,000 to aid in the erosion fight, earmarking it specifically for jettying.

P. A. Garden Club To Meet Monday

The Princess Anne Garden Club will meet on Monday, January 10, at 2:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. J. Davis Reed, Jr., at "Lynmore" London Ridge.

Speaker for the afternoon will be Miss Evelyn Cullen Bell, who will take as her subject "Constitution."

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A JOB WELL DONE

We would like to thank and say "a job well done" to Eugene Baker, John Bradburne, A. C. Peele, Al Craft, and the members of the Virginia Beach Fire Department for the splendid way in which they handled the 1948 Joy Fund for Princess Anne County.

True, as in every new undertaking, many snags cropped up—and as always a few people like to criticize the efforts these men made in handling the drive.

It was a big job and a difficult one at best. Yet it is hard to please each individual.

Though not an original idea, the Presbyterian Men's Club started the Joy Fund at the Beach in 1947. These few men, with the aid of the local papers, continued the program in 1948. These men gave their time and efforts to investigating each case brought to their attention, as well as taking time to distribute the donations.

It is planned to continue the Joy Fund and to make it an annual drive—with the hope that in the succeeding years the bumps and irregularities may be ironed out.

FACING THE LOCAL ECONOMIC PROBLEM

With the passing of 1948 the Town of Virginia Beach has seen many changes. The outstanding deviation from routine was the complete councilmanic changeover. The first time in many years that the majority of members are not old councilmen. The installation of a town manager in 1948 marked a new era in town government for the Beach.

The most drastic change to be noted for 1948 is one that has been audaciously overtaking businessmen here for the past several years. It is the change from a near "boom town" community back to its original status of a resort town, or a 20 mile suburb of the "big city." We are getting back to the status of a community with a three month industry.

True, Virginia Beach has grown by leaps and bounds; there are stores and services available to residents which have not been available before. However, as is true with other suburban communities, there is no place like the "big city" in which to shop.

1949 finds us still too dependent on the nearby metropolis for our salaries, industries, and merchandise. Virginia Beach has too few industrial workers, and too few industrial payrolls to support the large number of stores and shops in the area.

Unless our town seeks manufacturing enterprises and our residents become more amenable to an industrial section of the community, then we cannot expect to improve our economic situation in years to come.

VIRGINIA PASSES LAWS FOR TOURIST PROTECTION

Visitors to Virginia in the future will be assured of a much higher standard of cleanliness and service from hotels, restaurants, tourist courts, roadside establishments, and other similar places, according to the Virginia Travel Council.

This will be due in part to the fact that the Virginia Legislature, oldest free legislative assembly in the New World, has adopted one of the most comprehensive sets of legal regulations for tourist facilities ever adopted by any state. The new tourist establishments law went into effect on January 1, but last July the largest force of Health Department inspectors ever to be enrolled in Virginia began their training, and before the first of the year a preliminary inspection of all roadside establishments gave the Department its first complete picture of the deficiencies of the state in adequately caring for its visitors. Those below the new standards, which are rigid, were given until January 1 to correct their deficiencies, or to be subject to fine or the loss of their licenses to continue in business.

The new laws have the backing of virtually every organization in Virginia and the Virginia hotel, restaurant, and tourist court associations have all conducted campaigns among their members to clean up the state. In addition the Distributive Education Department of the State Department of Education, through itinerant instructors, is sponsoring tourist courtesy and information schools in various sections of the Old Dominion.

The new laws class every establishment offering a place for the visitor to sleep as a hotel, every place offering a meal as a restaurant, and more than 18,000 tourist service establishments are covered by the law. Filling stations are covered insofar as health and sanitation is concerned and have made one of the greatest improvements today due to the cooperation of all major oil companies.

Virginia will be better equipped to serve the visitor in 1949 than ever before.

THE YEAR IN THE NEWS

JANUARY

March of Dimes organized January 7... Council meets and takes up long debated railroad track removal again... Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company announces \$100,000 expansion program here... The fuel oil shortage takes on alarming proportions, with dealers predicting decreasing supplies—January 30 Wade C. Kornegay made deputy co-ordinator and oil distributor for the county for distribution of emergency oil supplies... Freak winds of 54-mile velocity smash windows on Atlantic Avenue.

FEBRUARY

Council members, businessmen and merchants from Beach form delegations to appear in Richmond for and against proposed Town Manager bill and General Registrar bill... Old U. S. O. building is purchased by town for \$17,500, becomes Community House... Beach digs out of 11-inch snow, heaviest in years... March of Dimes a success, nets approximately \$3,000, Mrs. Aubrey Holmes, general chairman, announces... Junior Woman's Club gets to work in earnest on Polioes, casting started... Town Engineer Nicholson announces no bids received for proposed construction of three jetties to combat erosion.

MARCH

Red Cross moves into new quarters in the Community House... Norfolk Southern Bus Corp. informs Mayor H. Warfield Leeke that it has petitioned the State Corporation Commission to raise fares in the county... Chamber of Commerce appoints committee to study fare increase... Junior Woman's Club's Polioes proclaimed huge success in two-night showing to capacity audiences... Clyde P. Nicholson leaves Beach for Government appointment in Vienna, Austria... Court declares bill naming General Registrar for Virginia Beach is unconstitutional—A. E. Gregg remains in post—new appointee out until expiration of Gregg's term.

APRIL

Beach citizens protest placing of pound poles for fishing in waters off Beach... Carrol J. Bounds named Town Engineer to succeed Nicholson... Councilmanic campaign waxes hot as eight candidates file, two withdraw... W. W. Johnson, R. G. Barr, Edwin M. Hall, Jr., R. L. Simpson, J. Burks Withers, H. E. Halstead, Duck Braithwaite, and Ernest N. Allen file, the latter two withdraw... Council tables action on daylight saving time temporarily... Jaycees secure charter. Owen Moore elected first president... Little Theatre trysts for "My Sister Ellen" elicit enthusiasm... Cape Henry Pilgrimage draws galaxy of notables from Richmond and Washington... Thomas Stomont dies in Florida... Governor Tuck dedicates Community House.

MAY

Bounds and Petty submit report estimating cost of seawall and sewage repairs and extensions at \$550,000... Daylight saving post card poll begins... Mrs. Samuel Foote, Jr., named "Outstanding Woman of the Year" by Junior Woman's Club... Memorial Day week-end draws capacity crowds... Campaign headquarters set up by both factions in council race... Annual Rose Show pronounced success.

JUNE

Candidates urge reforms... Candidates want annexation... Candidates campaign... Large graduating classes prepare for big days at County high school... In biggest turnout in Beach history, 1,402 voters go to polls... Barr, Halstead and Simpson win... Daylight poll favors summer time, council adopts it... Ford gives preview of Ford Forty-niner to breathless public... Television at Shelly's draws crowds... School bond issue in June 29 referendum, Beach not voting, carried for all but colored high school... Chamber of Commerce declares mail inquiries up 300 per cent... Mrs. Basil Manly named head of Legion Auxiliary.

JULY

Mayor Warfield Leeke resigns... Parking meters installed after second post card poll indicates public favors them... Death takes Frank D. Shean... Colonial Store on 31st Street robbed... Owen J. Moore, Ivanhoe proprietor, dies, buried in Scotland Neck... July 4 holiday crowd largest since 1936, no drownings... Volunteer firemen purchase iron lung for Beach.

AUGUST

William F. Patton named mayor, served as vice mayor after the resignation of Leeke... Zoning Board recommends industrial zone west of Parks Avenue... Mrs. B. G. Porter dies after brief illness... Beach Hospital opens informally with birth of Baby Nancy Lorraine Mapp two weeks before scheduled formal opening... Entertainment program for Shrine Convention readied... CAMID operations at Camp Pendleton entrance huge crowd... Selective Service registration starts... Schools ready for opening.

SEPTEMBER

Lawrence Lockwood becomes first town manager... Sammy Kaye's Miss America Co-Ed contest winds up at Beach with Governor Tuck and Mayor Patton the lucky ones who bestow title on winner Pattie Cotter... Hotel Association sets up advertising fund... Town alerted by hurricane warning, storm goes to sea... 8,000 shriners take over Beach in three-day celebration... School enrollment shows upward trend... Legion elects John Flannagan head of Post 113... Cooke School additions tabled till 1949, lack of funds... Robbery at Piney Point staged in big league style.

OCTOBER

Chamber of Commerce endorses Wednesday closings... Forbes' "Sweeties" become softball champions in Girls' League... Lockwood advocates doubling assessments to raise borrowing capacity of town... Council approves... London Eridge Baptist Church dedicated... Seawall closed at south end of Beach after being weakened by storms... Community Chest drive opens... Funeral services held for Audie Lee Fisher... Formal opening of Virginia Beach Hospital... Community Chest fund over the top, exceeds quota by \$2,000.

NOVEMBER

Rev. Frank H. Van Dyck becomes pastor of the Virginia Beach Methodist Church following transfer of Rev. Robert Forrest... New construction at Beach shows upsurge, two hotels under construction more planned... National election takes spotlight from local affairs... Study of pollution of Lankhorn Bay undertaken from local affairs... Jaycees plan Christmas dance... Town turns on Christmas lights with Santa and Mayor Patton officiating... Mrs. Wallace Clark heads March of Dimes campaign.

DECEMBER

Joy Fund started, moves slowly... Commonwealth's Attorney P. W. Ackiss announces W. R. Ashburn and Richard Kellam secured to assist in fighting Norfolk's proposed annexation of parts of Princess Anne County... VFW Auxiliary Post 7186 activated, LaCena Patton heads new group... Garden Club conducts Christmas tour... Duck hunting season opens to groans of "Too much good weather"... Joy Fund grows, toys collected... Referendum requested for half-million dollar improvements bond issue... Christmas rush nearly swamps staff at postoffice... Legion dance plans completed... Traditional Christmas music and services announced by churches... Joy Fund goes over the top!

RESOLUTION

(Resolution adopted at December business meeting by First Baptist Church of Virginia Beach.)

IN MEMORY OF A. L. FISHER

We, the members of the First Baptist Church of Virginia Beach, Virginia, suffered a great loss in the death of Brother Fisher on October 9, 1948. At an earlier age Brother Fisher gave his heart to Christ and became a member of the Virginia Beach Baptist Church. From the beginning he was interested in all of the activities of his Church and served on the Board of Deacons at the First Baptist Church up to his death. His interest in the Lord's work continued to grow; he soon found a place of leadership in the Church and was chosen as a Deacon, and also elected to the Board of Trustees. He filled this position with distinction until the time of his passing. This Church has never had a more faithful and loyal Deacon and one who was more interested in the success and growth of every department and every phase of work of the Church. He was always anxious to know how many united with the Church at each service. He was most patient during the few months of his illness and complained very little about it. He was a real inspiration and living example of a true Christian to the very end.

We the members of the Men's Bible Class wish to express our sympathy to the family in their loss and bereavement.

Safety Booklet
Equipment on
New Vehicles

Copies of a highway safety booklet, "Smooth Driving," will become standard equipment in Willys-Overland vehicles. It was announced recently by James D. Mooney, president and board chairman.

Written by Harold Speth, former racing driver, the 32-page safety booklet covers the simple basic rules of good driving. Among the points covered are tips for night driving, pointers on approaching curves, crossings, and intersections, and the rules of highway courtesy.

The first major event to be televised as far west as the Mississippi might be Truman's inauguration. Television is expected to reach coast to coast in the near future.

Enrollments in U. S. colleges and universities now number over two million, but veterans now number only 42 per cent.

Reserve Officers of
Army Asked to
Choose Active Status

Virginia Reserve officers of the Army who are not currently engaged in Reserve activities have been granted until February 1, 1949, to indicate their desire to become active, before being transferred to the Inactive Reserve. Colonel Carter R. McLennan, Senior Army Instructor of the Organized Reserve Corps for Virginia, announced today.

Reserve officers can protect their active Reserve status by contacting their unit instructor at once, and by indicating that they want to remain in the Active Reserve, Colonel McLennan said.

Officers who failed to reply to the questionnaire sent out last spring, or who indicated on the questionnaire or at any other time a preference for the Inactive Reserve, must now make known their desire to take an active part in the Reserve program and express their availability for assignment to an active Reserve unit, if they do not want to revert to inactive status.

Colonel McLennan pointed out

that since the questionnaire was sent out, a long range training program has been established, which affords extensive opportunities for Reservists to take an active part in the mission assigned the Organized Reserve Corps under the nation's security plan.

He also emphasized the advantages of taking part in the Army Reserve program which have become fact since the questionnaire was sent out. These are: wide possibilities for assignment to units, a liberal promotion policy, inactive duty training pay, non-disability retirement, and the opportunity to share actively in the community responsibility for national security.

Colonel McLennan urged Reserve officers to maintain their active status in the Organized Reserve Corps, and former officers and enlisted men who are not now members of the Reserves to enlist or apply for commissions. He said that there is an urgent need, especially for active company grade officers.

The comet which was visible in this hemisphere last month passed with 50 million miles of the earth, a University of California expert estimated.

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ASSETS

Cash on Hand	
and in Banks	\$ 589,902.11
U. S. Government Securities	1,384,258.10
Other Securities	127,174.55
Accrued Interest on Investments	9,722.40
Loans and Discounts	1,049,518.88
Banking House Furniture and Fixtures	57,104.00
	9,952.02
TOTAL	\$3,227,632.06

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock—Common	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus	60,000.00
Undivided Profits	23,854.38
Total Deposits	3,028,843.46
Reserves	10,474.51
Interest Collected—Not Earned	4,459.71
TOTAL	\$3,227,632.06

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Alexander Randolph Holladay

Alexander Randolph Holladay, 77, son of the late Alexander Q. and Mrs. Virginia Randolph Holladay, a native of Goodland County and a resident of Virginia Beach for 36 years, died at his residence, Lankhorn Park, Princess Anne County, Tuesday at 10:57 p.m.

Mr. Holladay was a retired banker.

He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Peyton H. Hoge, of Louisville, Ky., and Mrs. Julia Fitchell, of Raleigh, N. C.

Funeral services and burial were private.

Canned food production in North America amounts to over half a billion cases yearly.

Mrs. Nellie Cordelia Howren

Mrs. Nellie Cordelia Howren, 74, died at a Norfolk hospital Wednesday at 3:10 p.m.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Hazel H. Harry, of Norfolk; five sons, P. F. C. R., and J. T. Howren, all of Norfolk; W. A. Howren, of Lynnhaven, and H. H. Howren, of Richmond; three sisters, Mrs. Virgie Mathema and Mrs. Mann Dean, of Marion, and Mrs. Virginia Short, of Kernit, W. Va.; two brothers, John Overbay, of Marion, and Henry Overbay, of Beckley, W. Va.; 13 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Howren was a native of Marion and had been a resident of Norfolk 48 years.

Funeral services are being conducted today from the Holcomb-Brown Funeral Home with interment in Forest Lawn Cemetery.

Mrs. Lucy Luxford Sutton

Mrs. Lucy Luxford Sutton, 79, wife of the late Herbert B. Sutton, died Wednesday at 4 p.m. in Richmond. Daughter of the late James and Mrs. Bettie Cauthorn Luxford, she was a native of Richmond, but had spent much of her life in Princess Anne County and Greensboro, N. C.

Surviving are two nephews, Richard M. Luxford, of Norfolk, and Franklin Luxford, of Alexandria; two nieces, Mrs. Caroline E. Woodhouse and Miss Louise Luxford, of Princess Anne County, and a number of great-nephews and nieces.

Funeral services are being conducted today at 2 p.m. from the Christen Funeral Home, Richmond, with interment in Oakwood Cemetery, Richmond.

Capt. Fantone Gets Important Post In Guam

Word has been received of the appointment of Captain William H. Fantone, Jr., of Virginia Beach, as chairman of the Arbitration Board of Staff Special Services of the 20th Air Force in Guam, where he has served since June as Chief of the Staff Finance Section.

In his new capacity he will have official status of special consultant to the staff athletic officer. Captain Fantone is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Fantone, of Virginia Beach. He attended Maury High School and Mercer University in Georgia. He is married to the former Miss Susan Payne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pinkney Payne, of Norfolk.

The average broad-breasted bronze turkey will consume about 92 pounds of feed during its growing period of 28 weeks.



"Cross Only At Corners" Theme of Safety Program

More than 3,000 posters and lesson units for teaching pedestrian safety are being distributed to schools throughout this area in connection with the Tidewater Automobile Association's educational program, according to John B. Dey, vice president of the organization.

"It is the objective of the Association," Mr. Dey explained, "to aid in the important classroom safety educational program which has reaped such rich results in saving children's lives and preventing injuries in traffic."

Theme of the current program is "Cross Only At Corners." Mr. Dey said that traffic regulations give priority to pedestrians who cross the street properly at intersections, but failure to cross only at corners is responsible for many injuries and deaths.

"While pedestrians have priority at corners, motorists have prior rights away from intersections unless there is a marked mid-block crosswalk," Mr. Dey explained. "Knowing this, the driver will not be as cautious in looking for pedestrians between blocks as he will between intersections. He will naturally expect pedestrians to be using safe walking habits, including the important one of crossing only at corners."

"It is important that children learn this rule early and obey it always. In addition to establishing a habit of crossing the street only at corners, children must also be taught the necessity of following certain simple rules, such as looking both ways, watching for turning cars, not loitering while crossing, giving full attention to traffic, etc.," he said.

Legion's New Year's Dance Is Success

Councilman Henry Gregory was the winner of the Capehart Television set which was given away at the American Legion's New Year dance held at the Ocean Club last Friday.

According to Legion spokesmen, the dance was a huge success, with full attendance. The 15-piece orchestra, imported from Hampton Institute for the occasion, added much to the event. Legionnaires declared. Funds raised will go toward the building fund for the Legion's new club house nearing completion on Laskin Road.

The group met last night for their regular business meeting and to formulate plans for the coming year.

Construction Started on Virginia's H. G. Shirley Memorial Highway Between Washington-Richmond

The most ambitious highway project ever undertaken in the Old Dominion is under construction in Northern Virginia across the Potomac River from the national capital. It is the Henry G. Shirley Memorial Highway (U. S. 350), a 17.3 mile limited access through-way.

When completed in 1950, the Shirley will relieve traffic congestion on U. S. 1, by-pass the city of Alexandria, slash miles and minutes from north-south motor time-tables, and bring to Virginia one of the finest examples of highway engineering in the world.

The expressway is named to honor the late Henry G. Shirley, who died in 1941 after serving 19 years as Virginia's highway commissioner. Only a few weeks before his death, Mr. Shirley had given the go-ahead for the highway in order that Virginia might be better prepared for the threatening war. Due to wartime shortages, however, construction was postponed until late 1945, although the Federal government during the War built the 2.3 mile northern section immediately south of the Pentagon network.

At present, U. S. 1 between Washington and the town of Woodbridge is the most heavily-traveled highway on the eastern seaboard south of the District of Columbia. The Shirley Highway will carry an estimated 80 per cent of that traffic and will cut 3.4 miles from the distance between Richmond and Washington.

Crossing traffic lanes will be ruled out by the limited access characteristics of the Shirley, with vehicles permitted to leave or enter only via controlled access interchanges. Between the cut-off from U. S. 1 at Woodbridge and Route 7 (where Federal wartime construction ended) there will be nine points of controlled access.

So large-scale is the project that 3,000,000 cubic yards of earth have been moved in grading operations. Testifying to the tremendous engineering job are long cuts and fills. One cut-slope rises above the highway 101 feet and a long fill spans a valley 58 feet below.

The actual roadway will consist of two 24-foot concrete traffic lanes, separated by a depressed center strip which varies between 14 and 70 feet in width. Later, if desired and necessary, one additional lane can be added in each direction. Anticipating heavy truck traffic, engineers called for concrete pavement 10 inches thick.

The highway has a "design speed" of 70 miles per hour, although the Virginia speed limit of 55 miles per hour will be enforced. It will roll along in a series of gradual curves, cutting to a minimum the headlight glare of opposing traffic.

Traffic studies have indicated that a peak of 30,000 vehicles per day will use the northern end of the Shirley, with more than 10,000 on the southern portion near Woodbridge.

Vestry Election at Galilee Sundry

Election of the Vestry of the Galilee Episcopal Church will take place immediately following the 11 o'clock service on Sunday, January 9. Members of the congregation who have attended the church for the last six months have the privilege of voting, and all are urged to exercise their right in that respect.

Steel manufacturers estimate that ingot production should be a peace time record of 78 million tons this year.

L.T. WATERFIELD RETURNING TO U. S. FOR REASSIGNMENT

First Lieutenant William M. Waterfield, Medical Service Corps, who has recently returned from a tour of duty in Bremerhaven, Germany, has arrived at Tidewater General Hospital, Fort Dix, New Jersey, for a new assignment. Lt. Waterfield is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Waterfield of Virginia Beach. He first entered the military service June 9, 1941.

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SOCIAL NEWS

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PARTIES -- ANNOUNCEMENTS -- PERSONALS

MRS. KIBLER ENTERTAINS

Mrs. Kibler entertained yesterday afternoon, December 30, at a tea at her home on 54th Street. Her guests numbered about twenty.

Mrs. Maureen McGrath left yesterday for New York to attend the wedding of Miss Sheila McDonnell and Richard Cooley which will take place tomorrow in St. Ignace Loyola Church and will be followed by a reception at Louis Sherry.

Mrs. J. F. Newcome has returned to her home after spending the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Howard C. Johnson and Mr. Johnson, in Baltimore, Md., whom she has been visiting since her return from Miami, Fla., recently.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Gailther left Tuesday for their home in San Francisco, Calif., after spending the holidays with Col. and Mrs. W. C. Waddill at their home on Avenue B.

Mrs. James McMenamin has returned to her home in Linkhorn Park after spending the Christmas holidays in New Orleans, La., and Atlanta, Ga.

Vince Niemeyer has returned to New York City where he is attending Art Students League, after spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Bernard Smith, and Mr. Smith, on Cavalier Drive.

Mrs. W. Willard Washburn has returned to her home at the Beach after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Laughridge, in Shelby, N. C.

DR. MRS. KIBLER ENTERTAINS

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Kibler, of Durham, N. C., entertained Saturday afternoon from five to seven at a cocktail party at the home of Mrs. Kibler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Kornegay, on 53rd Street. Their guests numbered about thirty.

MRS. HERBERT WHITEHURST ENTERTAINS AT TEA

Mrs. William Bankhead Meredith entertained Thursday afternoon from last week at a tea at her home on Linkhorn Bay. She was assisted in serving by Mrs. Ernest Stone, Mrs. Val Morgan and Mrs. Jacquelin Meredith.

MRS. MRS. SMITH ENTERTAIN ABOUT FIFTY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith, Jr., entertained Sunday, December 26, from four to seven at their home on 62nd Street. The guests invited numbered about fifty.

Mrs. Herbert Whitehurst, of Neptune Beach, Fla., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Rosalie Reid, in Linkhorn Park.

Miss Rosemary Kernan has returned to Madison College, and Jack Kernan has returned to Pittsburgh, Pa., after spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kernan, at their home on 38th Street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Griggs and daughter, Susan, spent the holidays with Mrs. Griggs' mother, Mrs. W. R. Warner, of Mt. Gillard, N. C.

B. W. Lipscomb, Jr., of Louisville, Ky., spent Christmas week-end as the guest of Mrs. Val Morgan at her home on 22nd Street.

ATWATER-LANE

The marriage of Miss Dorothy Lee Lane, daughter of Mrs. Roy Cleveland Lane, of London Bridge, and Garland Marvin Atwater, Jr., of Virginia Beach, took place December 27 at the London Bridge Baptist Church. Rev. J. F. Stone performed the ceremony in a setting of Christmas greens, palms, lighted candles and white gladioli. Mrs. Charles H. Hitchings played the wedding music and Mr. Joseph White sang "Ave Maria," "Because," and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, William E. Baker. She wore a wedding gown of duchess satin, off the shoulder effect, with a yoke of marquisette, fitted bodice, tiny self covered buttons down the back and long fitted sleeves forming points over the hands. The bustle back skirt worn over a hoop formed a long sweeping train. Her finger tip veil of bridal illusion fell from a coronet of seed pearls and she carried a corsage bouquet of white stock centered with an orchid.

Mrs. Michael Marinelli, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a gown of silver blue satin fashioned with a deep neckline, fitted bodice and a crushed full hoop skirt with matching headpiece. Her flowers were a cascade bouquet of American Beauty color baby mums and daisies.

The bridesmaids were Miss Rita Gardiner, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Eugene Patton, sister of the groom. They wore gowns similar to the matron of honor in American Beauty satin and carried silver blue bouquets of baby mums and daisies. The mistress of ceremonies, Mrs. Paul B. Maestas, sister of the groom, wore a translucent blue crepe dress with a corsage of red roses.

Charles L. Jarvis, Jr., of Baltimore, Md., served as best man for Mr. Atwater. Ushers were Elton Baker, Eugene G. Patton, Paul B. Maestas and William Tudor. The mother of the bride chose for the occasion a black crepe dress with matching accessories and a corsage of purple orchids.

A reception was held following the ceremony at the home of the bride, after which the couple left on a wedding trip. For her traveling costume the bride chose a suit of Robinhood green with black accessories and a corsage of orchids. The couple will reside at Virginia Beach.

Among the out-of-town guests who attended the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Winslow, Jr., and Mrs. Harry Barber, of Winfall, N. C.; Gus Nixon, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Nixon and Mr. and Mrs. John Nixon, of Edenton, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Jarvis, Jr., of Baltimore, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Maestas, Cincinnati, Ohio, and Miss Rita Gardiner, of Washington, D. C.

Miss Ida Mae Esmond has returned to Richmond Professional Institute after spending Christmas with her mother, Mrs. E. C. Waddill, and Col. Waddill at their home on Avenue B.

James Allen Tyler left Tuesday to resume his studies at V. P. I., Blacksburg, Va., after spending Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Goodenow Tyler, at the Essex House.

Frank Morris Carroll, a student at the Shenandoah Conservatory of Music, Dayton, Va., spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard N. Carroll, in the Oakleigh Apartments.

Dr. Stanley Channing has returned to Kahoka, Missouri, after spending Christmas with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Winn, Jr., on Raleigh Drive.

Mrs. William Alfred Crenshaw has returned to Richmond after visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Capt. and Mrs. Russell Crenshaw, at their home in Bird Neck Point.

Miss Betty Felham Meredith, of Richmond, has returned to Hollins College, Hollins, Va., after visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Meredith, on 53rd Street.

Miss Elizabeth Johnson returned last week to her home in New York after being the guest of Miss Sallie Woods at her home on Pinewood Road, and attending the dance given by Mr. and Mrs. John L. Roper, II, and Mr. and Mrs. William MacKenzie Jenkins for their debutante daughters, Miss Isabel Fogel Roper and Miss Margaret Ashby Jenkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Bristow Hardin and Charles Hardin have returned to their home on 34th Street after spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Hardin's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bristow Hardin, Jr., in Austin, Texas.

Capt. J. E. Wilkinson, of Sumter, S. C., was the guest last week-end of Mrs. Val Morgan at her home on 22nd Street.

Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. Russell Crenshaw, Jr., and son have returned to their home in Boston, Mass., after visiting Lieut. Comdr. Crenshaw's parents, Capt. and Mrs. Russell Crenshaw, at their home in Bird Neck Point. Capt. and Mrs. Crenshaw also had as their guests for Christmas their son-in-law and daughter, Comdr. and Mrs. J. J. Southland, and another daughter, Miss Alice Crenshaw, all of Annapolis, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Woodhouse, Jr., and two children, of Raleigh, N. C., were the guests last week-end of Mr. Woodhouse's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Woodhouse, at their home in Rudee Heights.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Kibler, of Durham, N. C., spent last week-end with Mrs. Kibler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Kornegay, at their home on 53rd Street.

Miss Grace Dalton has returned to Norfolk after visiting her niece, Mrs. William Meredith, and Mr. Meredith, at their home on Linkhorn Bay.

Hugh Auld, III, returned Sunday to his home in Rudee Heights after spending Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Auld, Jr., in Baltimore, Md.

Lieut. Joseph L. McClane, Jr., USN, Mrs. McClane and two sons, James Lenus and Thomas Joseph, of Pensacola, Fla., returned last week to continue their visit with Mrs. McClane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Flynn, on 22nd Street, after spending Christmas with Lieut. McClane's parents in Trenton, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Talley have returned to Hilton Village, Va., after spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Mathies at their home on 72nd Street.

Miss Sallie Woods has returned to her home on Pinewood Road after visiting Miss Elizabeth Johnson at her home in New York and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Winn, Jr., at their home on Raleigh Drive.

Mrs. Ray W. Paul returned last Friday to her home in Richmond after visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Kasten at their home on 36th Street. She was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Kasten and Capt. E. F. Clement who were her guests for the week-end.

Mrs. May Garland Bass and her granddaughter, May Norvell, have returned to Richmond after visiting Mrs. Gibson Edmonds at her home on 32nd Street.

Misses Mary Barnard and Joyce Warmley, of Richmond, were the guests last week-end of Miss Kirkland Tucker at her home in Rudee Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Blair Kerns have returned to their home in Danville, Va., after visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith, Jr., on 62nd Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Phelan, Jr., of Durham, N. C., are spending some time with Mr. Phelan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Phelan, at their home in Bay Colony.

Mrs. George Temple has returned to Danville, Va., after visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Forsberg, in Cavalier Park.

Mr. and Mrs. James G. Page, of Norfolk, were the guests last week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Selden Grandy at their home in Bay Colony.

Samuel C. Rowland, II, arrived Monday from Charlotte, N. C., to spend a few days with his mother, Mrs. Sheppard Royster, and Mr. Royster at their home in Cavalier Park.

Miss Georgianna Tallafiero has returned to Norfolk after visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Miles, Jr., in Cavalier Park.

Among those returning to the University of Virginia after spending Christmas at their homes are Bobby Maser, John F. Winn, III, Charles Slinguff, Jr., Franklin Woodhouse, William Gormley, Jack Gwaltney, George Powell, Warner Moore, III, and William Haycox.

Misses Ann Darden and Katherine Wood, debutantes, have returned to Hollins College, Hollins, Va., after spending the holidays at their homes.

Puppet Show at W. T. Cooke January 28

Pittsburgh, a puppet show, will be shown at the William T. Cooke school auditorium on January 28. There will be two performances, one directly after the close of school at 3:15 and a second at 8 p.m.

The show, under the sponsorship of the P.-T. A. of the school, will be put on by Smart Marionettes of New York, according to Mrs. Charles Forbes, Jr., who is chairman in charge, and promises to be gay, tuneful, and exciting.

The musical scores for the play will come to the school before the showing of the puppet show in order that the children may become acquainted with them.

Miss Minor Jordan, debutante, returned this week to St. Mary's College, Raleigh, N. C., after spending Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Jordan, Jr., in Bay Colony.

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Mrs. Knight to be Woman's Club Luncheon Speaker

Mrs. D. S. Knight will be guest speaker at the luncheon meeting of the Woman's Club of Princess Anne County which will be held at the Pine Tree Inn on Tuesday, January 11, at 12 o'clock. Mrs. Knight will take as her subject "International Relations."

Mrs. Knight has recently moved to Virginia Beach with her husband, Rev. Ira D. S. Knight, who

is pastor of the First Baptist Church of Virginia Beach. The Knights are well known in Tidewater Virginia, having served at the Park Place Baptist Church in Norfolk some years ago.

The program for the meeting is in charge of Mrs. John S. Bell, chairman of the International Relations committee of the club.

Members are urged to bring prizes for the Fashion Show and Card Party which the club will hold on February 23 at the Panorama Room of the Cavalier Hotel.

Another Section Beach Boulevard To Be Widened

Contractors' bids for the widening of 1.60 miles of the Virginia Beach Boulevard from the intersection with Highway 13 at the cloverleaf to Flemings Corner will be opened on January 20, the State Highway Department announced recently.

Part of a long-range project to provide a modern highway from Norfolk to Virginia Beach, the project is the second lap to be undertaken. The initial stretch was completed last summer with the opening of the dual highway from the railroad overpass to the intersection with Highway 13.

At the same time, bids for the completion of the four-lane construction on Ocean View Boulevard from the end of recent construction to the Old Point Comfort ferry landing, a distance of 2.77 miles, will also be opened.

These two highway projects are a part of the State Highway Department's construction plans embracing 18 projects totaling 43.7 miles.

The bids will be opened at 10 a.m., January 20, at the department's central office in Richmond.

Leaders Elected for Oceana Cub Pack

Leaders have been elected for the Cub Scout pack of Oceana for the new year. They are: Irvin Evans, Cub master; P. V. Wyatt, assistant; Mrs. Irvin Evans, mother of Den One; Mrs. Sam Snapp, mother of Den Two; Earl Reitelbach, den chief of Den One; Jimmie Craddock, den chief of Den Two.

The Pack Committee consists of W. E. Reitelbach, chairman; R. E. Thompson, secretary; L. W. Whitehurst, treasurer; and H. E. Brown, Elmer Meeks, and L. S. Hiteaux.

Oceana Scout Troop Committee Elected

The official board of the Oceana Methodist Church has elected the following members of the Boy Scout Troop Committee for the ensuing year: Guy Bonney, A. L. Craddock, W. Q. Gresham, H. V. Lackey, W. E. Reitelbach, C. C. Whitehead, L. W. Whitehurst, with the pastor as institutional representative.

In a meeting of the committee

State Food Inspectors Making More Rigid Inspections of Food Establishments Seeking Permits

In a move to insure higher standards of cleanliness and service from operators of food establishments, hotels, motor courts, tourist homes and trailer camps, State food inspectors began last week to issue permits in accordance with a law requiring minimum sanitation standards which was passed in the 1948 General Assembly.

Locally, the new State law will make very little difference, according to A. Worth Petty, town sanitation engineer. Mr. Petty said that the town sanitation code, adopted eight years ago, was based on one recommended by the State health officers, and that the subsequent State law was very close in most respects. The only difference to Beach regulations is that separate toilet facilities for patrons as well as employees will be required of restaurants and eating establishments, he said.

State Health Commissioner L. J. Roper explained that in most instances the permits will be released by the inspector on his routine reinspection visits after January 1. However, in some instances where necessary improvements have been made permits may be mailed.

Dr. Roper further stated that except for seasonal establishments, all known food establishments, hotels, motor courts, tourist homes, and trailer camps will have been inspected at least once

before January 1. Following these inspections the operators have been advised regarding necessary improvements to be made in order to secure a permit. In many instances this advice has been confirmed by letter.

The series of reinspections, at which time permits will be released to those operators who have met the minimum required standards of sanitation, began December 27 and will require about six weeks for completion. It was explained by Dr. Roper. The inspectors will be instructed to release permits only to those establishments that have met minimum requirements in accordance with instructions on previous inspections.

Dr. Roper pointed out that the responsibility for securing a permit to operate rests upon the operators of establishments concerned rather than upon the city, county, or State Health Department. He also urged that all establishment operators who are in doubt regarding their status in securing a permit should make application immediately by letter to their local health department or to the State Health Department if no local health department exists in the county. It will not be necessary, according to Dr. Roper, for food establishment operators, who are working in compliance with instructions of the inspectors, to make formal application for a permit.

More than 15,000 food and roadside establishments have been inspected and instructions have been given for improvements during the past three months by city, county and district sanitarians. The industries affected are cooperating and rapid strides are being made in Virginia's effort to improve the general sanitary conditions and cleanliness at places subject to sanitary control under the four laws enacted at the 1948 session of the General Assembly, according to Dr. Roper.

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New Treatment For Hog Mange Reported By VPI

A new treatment for hog mange, a disease that is rapidly becoming common in Virginia herds, is reported by George C. Herring, swine specialist at V. P. I.

Hexachloride, commonly called BHC, will effectively control hog mange in one treatment, while oil and other materials recommended in the past require several treatments. Mr. Herring

says. "Mange is caused, he explained, by a small mite which burrows into the skin of the animal. This causes intense itching, loss of hair and wrinkled skin. Pigs affected with the disease make poor gains and, in extreme cases, may die. Mr. Herring said that BHC, which usually comes in vegetable powder form, is now available through livestock supply firms and some local farm supply dealers. Spraying is the most common method of application, but pigs may be hand-dipped."

Contour Farming Pays Dividends

"Just how much crooked rows contributed to that bumper corn crop this year I can't say," declared R. W. Lane, chairman of the Princess Anne County Agricultural Conservation Committee, "but of this I am sure—farmers everywhere are growing bigger crops by running their rows on the contour instead of up and down the slope."

That old jest, "more corn grown in a crooked row than a straight one" is literally true if the row is crooked because it is on the contour.

More and more farmers are realizing that soil fertility as well as the water needed to grow crops are saved by contour farming.

The Agricultural Conservation Program assists farmers in getting their crops seeded on the contour. A part of the expense of contour farming is covered on a "share-the-cost" basis by assistance provided through the program.

Mr. Lane urges farmers with sloping land that is subject to water erosion to farm on the contour. Drill-rows and furrows, on the contour check the run-off and help to hold both soil and water on the land where it is needed to produce crops.

He said that ACP assistance is available for starting the contour by seeding both close drilled and inter-tilled crops. He points out that land so farmed is protected against erosion and usually becomes more productive.

OCEANA MAN SERVING ON SUB TENDER

John E. Midgett, fireman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Midgett, of West Lane, Oceana, Va., is serving board the submarine tender USS Orion with the Atlantic Fleet. Fireman Midgett, who entered the Naval service September 30, 1947, received his recruit training at the Naval Training Center at Great Lakes, Ill.

Before entering the Navy, he was graduated from Oceana High School.

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Lumike Realty Corporation to Louis E. Bottino and Grace Bottino, western 22 ft. of Lot 12 and eastern 19 ft. of Lot 14, Block 56, Map 6, Virginia Beach Development Company; tax \$16.50.
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Katherine S. Herbert and Joseph E. Joyner and Hunkus L. Joyner, to Ada D. Wilson, Lots 1 and 3, Block 1, Plat of Central Park; tax \$14.25.

Civil Service Board Announces Exams

Civil Service examinations for the positions of Melter, Operator High Lift Truck, Sawfiler, and Watertender for employment in the Navy Department and various other Federal agencies in the vicinity of Norfolk and Portsmouth, Virginia, are now open, according to B. Clark Bell, Recorder of the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Fifth Naval District. Salaries for Melter range from \$9.92 to \$9.92 per day, for Operator High Lift Truck from \$8.00 to \$8.96 per day, for Sawfiler from \$11.50 to \$12.56 per day, and for Watertender from \$10.40 to \$11.36 per day. The examinations are being held by the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Fifth Naval District, and applications will be accepted by the Recorder, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Fifth Naval District, U. S. Naval Base, Norfolk 11, Virginia, until the needs of the service have been met. No written tests are required for these examinations. Applicants will be rated on the basis of their training and experience as described in their applications. Complete information and application forms may be obtained

4-H Honor Club Elects Officers and Plans Year's Work

Club to Undertake Camp Farrar Improvements

Miss Ruth Frances Williams was elected president of the Princess Anne County 4-H Honor Club at a meeting last week at the Court House. At the same time five new members were initiated in the club, and projects for the year 1949 were decided upon.

For its major project, the club will undertake to raise money for improvements at the 4-H Club Camp Farrar, put in use for the first time last season. H. W. Ollin, county agent, explained to the group that the Camp Farrar building fund was still lacking enough to complete the present cottages and add another much needed building. The Honor Club members will each undertake to raise a minimum of \$5 toward

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this fund before March 1. New officers elected for the new year include, in addition to Miss Williams, who succeeds Dolores Lupton as president, Christine Johns, vice president; Betty Farrer, secretary; Kermit Land, Jr., reporter, and H. W. Ollin, treasurer. The five new members initiated are Betty Farrer and Christine Johns of the Kemperville Senior Club; Barbara Dixon, of the Croeds Senior Club; Kermit Land, Jr., Oceana Senior Club, and Donald Wenger, Center Club. The Honor Club plans to hold a St. Valentine Day party on February 14.

County Agent Ollin explained that the 4-H Honor Club organization was inaugurated to provide a system of recognition on a county basis for members who have done exceptional work and to stimulate more active leadership. Only members who are 14 years of age and who have satisfactorily completed three years of club work are eligible for membership.

An Italian has designed a typewriter for writing music and the machine will be produced by an American company.

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VIRGINIA BEACH CHURCHES

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

17th Street at Arctic Avenue
Dr. Ira D. S. Knight, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School, E. L. Jarr, Superintendent.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
6:45 p.m.—Baptist Training Un-

ion, Miss Joyce Pierce, Director.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Worship.
6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship.
Prayer Meeting each Wednesday at 6:00 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

36th Street and Pacific Avenue
The Rev. Robert F. Davis, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Church School, Chas. H. Elchings, Superintendent.
9:45 a.m.—Adult Bible Classes.

11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
7:00 p.m.—Youth Fellowship.
Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Choir Rehearsal.
Friday, 7:30 p.m.—Boy Scouts.

GALILEE EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Ocean Avenue at 19th Street
8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion.
9:30 a.m.—Church School, Intermediate, beginning 3rd grade.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon. Holy Communion first Sunday in each month.

6:00 p.m.—Youth Fellowship.
Woman's Auxiliary meets first Tuesday in each month at 11 a.m. in the new Parish House.
Monthly Vestry meeting, second Tuesday in each month at 8 p.m.

St. Vincent's Acolytes' Guild first Saturday in each month at 10:00 a.m.
Men's Club Meetings to be announced.
Altar Guild Meetings to be announced.

METHODIST CHURCH

18th Street near Pacific Avenue
Rev. Frank H. Van Dyck, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Church School, G. C. Manson, superintendent. Classes for all ages.

11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship and Sermon.
6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship Meeting.

8:00 p.m.—Evening Worship and Sermon. Come and share in the Hymn Singing.

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14th Street and Arctic Circle
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Rosary—7:40 a.m.
Week-day Masses—8:00 a.m.
Novena—7:30 p.m., Mondays.

CHURCHES IN THE COUNTY

BAPTIST

Kempville Baptist Church, Kempville, Virginia, the Rev. A. B. Bount, pastor.

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School, J. R. Laster, Jr., Superintendent.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
7:00 p.m.—Young People's Meeting.

8:00 p.m.—Evening Worship.

Oak Grove Baptist Church, Creeds, Virginia, Rev. W. A. Rich-

Methodist, Pastor.

Sunday:

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School, Curtis Ansell, superintendent.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
6:00 p.m.—Baptist Training Union.
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship.
Wednesday:
7:00 p.m.—Mid-Week Prayer Service.
8:00 p.m.—Choir Practice.

London Bridge Baptist Church, London Bridge, Virginia, the Rev. J. F. Stone, pastor.
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.

EPISCOPAL

Eastern Shore Chapel, Oceana, Virginia, Charles Field, III, officiating.
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon. Holy Communion fourth Sunday at 11:00 a.m.

(This is the oldest original church building in Princess Anne County—built in 1754.)

Old Donation, Bayside, Virginia (founded 1694), the Rev. A. Webster Horstman, rector.

9:00 a.m.—Church School and Bible Class.
10:00 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon.

Holy Communion and Sermon first Sunday at 10:00 a.m.

Emmanuel Episcopal, Kempsville (founded 1843), the Rev. A. Webster Horstman, rector.
10:00 a.m.—Church School and Bible Class.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon.

Holy Communion and Sermon third Sunday at 11:15 a.m.

METHODIST

Oceana Methodist Church, the Rev. I. L. Llewellyn, minister.
9:45 a.m.—Church School, R. P. Wright, general superintendent.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
6:30 p.m.—Intermediate-Senior Fellowship.

Each Wednesday at 7:30 p.m., Church Night, with meetings as follows: 1st Wednesday—Board of Education; 2nd Wednesday—Board of Missions, Quarterly; 3rd Wednesday—Official Board; 4th Wednesday—Jr. Official Board; 5th Wednesday—Pastor's Cabinet.

Each Thursday, 6 p.m.—Church Choir Rehearsal.
Each Friday, 7:30 p.m.—Boy Scout Troop.

Each 2nd Wednesday, 2:30 p.m.—W.B.C.S.
Each 1st Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Mothers' Club.
Each 2nd Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—

Cub Scout Pack.

Bethel, South Princess Anne Charge, the Rev. J. W. Reynolds, pastor.
10:00 a.m.—Church School, A. W. Parker, superintendent.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service, first and third Sundays.

Beck Grove, South Princess Anne Charge, the Rev. J. W. Reynolds, pastor.
10:00 a.m.—(first and third Sundays) Sunday School, Roland Ward, superintendent.
10:00 a.m.—(second and fourth Sundays) Worship Service.

Knox's Island, South Princess Anne Charge, the Rev. J. W. Reynolds, pastor.

2:00 p.m.—Sunday School, Herman Jones, superintendent.
3:00 p.m.—(first and third Sundays) Worship Service.

Nimmo Methodist Church, the Rev. N. F. Hunt, pastor.
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School.
Frank Kellam, superintendent.

11:30 a.m.—(first and third Sundays) Worship Service.
Salem Methodist Church, the Rev. N. F. Hunt, pastor.

10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School, William L. Spence, superintendent.

Charity Methodist Church, the Rev. J. W. Mast, pastor.
10:00 a.m.—Church School.
Lewis Williams, superintendent.

Lloyd Murden, assistant superintendent.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
7:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship.

PRESBYTERIAN

Calvary Presbyterian Church, Glenrock, the Rev. J. Gordon Riggs, pastor.
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Worship.

DISCIPLE

Kala Church of Christ, Back Bay, Virginia, the Rev. Lloyd Crowe, pastor.
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Lord's Supper.
11:45 a.m.—Morning Worship.

East Ocean View Presbyterian Church, the Rev. J. Gordon Riggs, pastor.

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MARCH OF DIMES DRIVE BEGINS TODAY

Town Council "Divorces" Chamber of Commerce--Technically That Is

Myron Sturgeon Firm Instructed to Complete Seawall, Walkway Plans

The Virginia Beach Town Council in its regular meeting on Tuesday rescinded the ordinance passed March 16, 1948, which turned over to the Chamber of Commerce 30 per cent of the license taxes collected by the town. The ordinance was described as "illegal." No provision was made for further appropriations to the Chamber.

The council also heard the report of the Myron Sturgeon civil engineers, who recently completed a survey of the walkway and the needed repairs to put it in first class condition. J. C. Causey, of the firm, said that the bulk of the repairs are required from 17th Street south to 7th Street, where the walkway begins. The last 500 feet, ending at 7th Street, he described as being in deplorable condition, and said that it would be completely lost if something is not done to repair it immediately. The balance of the southern portion also needs extensive repairs, he declared.

The north end of the walkway from 17th Street to 24th Street, Mr. Causey said, is in "better than fair condition," and needs little but repair to the iron railing, the greater portion of which needs replacement.

The council authorized Myron Sturgeon to proceed immediately with the completion of detailed plans and specifications for the repair of the walkway, and to advertise for bids from qualified firms, with the understanding that the town may reject any or all bids submitted.

Mr. Causey reported that three alternative methods of repair had been prepared, all similar with the exception of materials called for. Schedule A, for repairs from 7th to 17th Street, calls for precast concrete sheet piling for bulkheads, transverse walls, and cutoff walls; Schedule B, calls for standard section steel sheet piling; and schedule C calls for a combination of the two.

Creosoted wood piling would be too expensive to do a good job, Mr. Causey declared.

The town engineer, Carrol J. Boudie, told council that he was heartily in accord with the Sturgeon report, and endorsed their recommendations.

The council also was informed that a compromise had been reached between resort and fishing interests in the pound pole controversy that flared up last Spring.

Battle Pays Surprise Visit at Meeting of Builders, Contractors

Obituary Candidate John S. Battle put in a surprise appearance at the annual dinner of the Builders and Contractors Exchange on Tuesday, January 11, at the Cavalier Beach Club's Panorama Room. He was introduced by E. Ashley Harpoot, vice president of the group, and spoke briefly.

The Builders and Contractors drew a record crowd of some 450 dealers and suppliers of building materials from this area at the affair.

Stamp Club to Meet at Community House

A reorganization meeting of the Princess Anne Stamp Club will be held at the Community House, 18th Street and Arctic Avenue, on Wednesday evening, January 19, 1949. If the attendance is sufficiently large, an election of officers will be held.

All stamp collectors are cordially invited to attend and help to build up an efficient and instructive recreational organization.

Tidewater Police Assn. To Install Chief Johnson

Meeting to Be Held in Bell's Restaurant, Norfolk, February 2

Virginia Beach Police Reeves E. Johnson will be installed as vice president of the Tidewater Chapter of the Police Association of Virginia on February 3 at the annual installation of officers of the group in Norfolk. President will be Captain Delbert E. (Doug) Berry, commanding officer of the second precinct of Norfolk.

Both the new president and vice president are members of the National Academy Association, made up of graduates of the FBI's National Police Academy.

Principal speaker at the February 3 meeting of the Tidewater Chapter will be Hugh H. Clegg, assistant director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Mr. Clegg has been with the FBI since 1920 and has held his present post as assistant director since 1932. He is in charge of the training and inspection division in this area.

The Association, which will meet in Bell's Restaurant, also will consider a police code of ethics to be submitted by Detective Sergeant Leon Nowitzky, of the Norfolk homicide squad.

The code is designed, Mr. Nowitzky said, to "eradicate the earmarks of a trade and open the gate to a profession of high standards. It stresses the individual responsibility of the policeman for his own conduct and also that of his fellows, and calls for individual initiative in the suppression of corruption within police organizations."

The local group, through Police Capt. M. H. House, has extended invitations to other police divisions in the State to form chapters. The Tidewater Chapter includes the police departments of Virginia Beach, Norfolk, Portsmouth, South Norfolk, Portlick and Princess Anne and Norfolk counties.

Kiwanians Hold Two Day Convention at Cavalier Hotel

Michael P. Smith was installed as the new district governor of the Kiwanis International Capital District at the close of a two-day convention held at the Cavalier on Sunday and Monday. Mr. Smith succeeds W. A. Barksdale, of Charlottesville.

More than 300 Kiwanians from the District of Columbia, Delaware, Maryland, and Virginia attended. The meeting was a training period for incoming officers of the organization. The conference is the largest mid-winter convention held at the Cavalier.

P. A. Buriat Club Delegates Attending Roanoke Convention

Seventeen members of the Princess Anne County Buriat Club left yesterday for the National Convention of Buriat Clubs being held at the Hotel Roanoke, Roanoke, Va. The convention lasts through Saturday night.

Led by President Bill Kellam, the local delegation includes R. C. Etheridge, E. Morris Abernathy, Linus Williams, C. A. Etheridge, Ralph Midgett, Frank Kellam, Joe Murden, W. E. Etheridge, James Darden, Fred H. Halestead, Cameron Warden, John Potter, Kenneth Whitehurst, Alton Williams, Walter Menden, and Floyd Tomney.



JOY FUND DIRECTORS—Shown above are four of the leaders who gave their time and efforts to make the Christmas Joy Fund such an outstanding success. Seated, left, is Al Craft, with Eugene Baker, right, and standing is John Bradburne, left, and A. C. Peete, right.

Jaycees Plan Project To Install Benches Along Boardwalk

The Junior Chamber of Commerce's new project to install benches along the boardwalk has received the "go ahead" signal from Town Manager Lawrence Lockwood, who has told the group that he will do all he can to obtain the council's approval of the program.

Spokesmen for the group said that conversations with individual members of the council indicated that there would be little other than hearty approval from that body.

The Jaycees, who say that the need for benches on the boardwalk has long been apparent, plan to place concrete and wooden benches at stated intervals on the walkway. The only long-standing objection, that benches are frequently removed by vandals, will be overcome by the nature of their construction.

Mosquito Control Commission Makes Report for Year

The eighth annual report of the Virginia Beach-Princess Anne County Mosquito Control Commission, just made public, gives heartening news to many who lay awake nights last summer cursing their little long-beaked, winged friends.

In general, your commission considers that control measures practiced in the district were again very successful, the report asserts. "During the active breeding season, April through October, the ligations and treatment of mosquito breeding is the most important work; and all efforts were primarily concentrated on this phase of the work."

The commission secured a jeep in February, 1948, rigged it with a pressure sprayer and fogger that, in their opinion, proved ideal in combating the pest. A new larvicide was adopted for general use.

Trap collection results showed that the eradication program was indeed successful in most sections of the community. In the south end of the Beach, results showed 135 nights when mosquitoes were not annoying, and only one night when they were. The north trap located in a controlled area, but influenced by Seashore State Park mosquitoes who were visiting their controlled friends, showed that 124 nights were not annoying, while 24 nights were. The Rainey's Gut trap, located near Ray Colony's north extremity and just at the edge of the State Park, showed only two nights when mosquitoes were not annoying, and 31 nights when the little sleep-deprivers did an expert job.

Mrs. Wallace Clark, Virginia Beach Chairman for Drive, Says Funds Badly Needed as Coffers Are Sadly Depleted

The March of Dimes campaign opened today in Princess Anne County and Virginia Beach.

The opening day feature is a parade by the Oceana School band, which will take place this afternoon at 3:30 from 16th Street to 24th Street. The parade is the official opening of the drive.

County H. D. Clubs To Hold Fashion, Clothing Clinic

Personnel of Club Council Announced By Home Agent

The Princess Anne County Home Demonstration Clubs, nine in number, will sponsor a Fashion and Clothing Clinic at the Community House at Virginia Beach on Wednesday, February 23. Miss Iva Byrd Johnson, clothing specialist with the Extension Service, will be in charge of the event.

The public is invited to attend. Fashions and sewing techniques will be shown, and sewing hints given for the women who make their own clothing.

The Clothing Clinic is a part of the program of the home demonstration clubs of the county.

The officers of the individual clubs will meet in the second leader training school, which will be held on January 28. The school will be under the direction of Miss Janet L. Cammeron, food specialist. The first leader training school was held at the Court House last Friday, at which time Miss Helen Ricks met with the presidents, vice presidents and secretaries of the home demonstration clubs.

Miss Jane Craig, county home agent, also has announced the personnel of the Princess Anne County Council for home demonstration clubs. Mrs. Charles Thompson, of the Kempsville District, is president; Mrs. W. H. Smith, London Bridge, vice president; Mrs. C. E. Upton, Jr., treasurer; and Miss Lois Allen, Pungo, reporter.

The council will serve as an overall direction group for the county demonstration clubs.

Chevrolet for 1949 To Be Previewed Here January 22

L. L. Clark, of Clark Chevrolet Corporation, has returned from Washington where he attended a dealer meeting and preview of the new 1949 Chevrolet passenger cars. The new cars will be first shown to the public at the Clark Chevrolet show rooms on January 22, Mr. Clark announced, and plans are completed for a gala affair in this area.

At the Washington showing, Mr. Clark said, approximately 800 dealers from the region were present. They were entertained at a luncheon and attended the pre-showing of the 1949 car. Officials of the Chevrolet motor division explained the future of the new car, and outlined plans for announcement day and follow-up.

"The new car is going to be accepted enthusiastically by our customers. It continues along the lines of the Chevrolet tradition, and I know Chevrolet customers will be as eager to see the new model as I was," Mr. Clark added.

Dates Set for Annual Rose Show

Miss Evelyn Collins Hill, general chairman, announces that the Princess Anne Garden Club will hold its ninth annual Rose Show in the Panorama Room of the Cavalier Hotel on May 10-11, 1949. All rose lovers are asked to get their roses in readiness this spring to exhibit at the show and to remember the date.

Special gift letters are being mailed to individuals and clubs, according to Mrs. Wallace Clark, chairman for Virginia Beach. Club boxes have been placed in all restaurants and stores, and coin cards distributed to all children in the county's schools.

The drive got a pre-opening boost when the Buriat and the Lons Club each contributed \$100, and the Senior Women's Club \$50. Mrs. Emmett Kyle, chairman for the colored workers, reports that the drive is getting underway through appeals in churches. The colored workers are also planning a dance.

Card tables, donated by Woody Seaman, are being sold with the proceeds going to the March of Dimes, according to Mrs. Clark.

She pointed out that the Princess Anne chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis works directly through the national chapter and is not affiliated with those in surrounding areas.

It is the most crucial March of Dimes campaign in history, as well as in all other sections of the United States, Mrs. Clark declared. The 1949 appeal for funds to fight infantile paralysis is aimed at enabling the local chapter to finance the fight against possible polio epidemics next summer while at the same time allowing it to participate in the various activities of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. The campaign continues through January 31.

"One of the important tasks of national headquarters," said Mrs. Clark, "is to have on hand sufficient large emergency epidemic funds to meet the urgent requirements of areas where polio flares up during the coming summer. We know that these epidemics will come but we do not know which areas will be affected."

"Last summer the nation suffered one of the most devastating polio epidemics in its history, with approximately 26,000 cases," the March of Dimes chairman said. "Local chapters and national headquarters were called upon to render aid to stricken communities in widely scattered areas at

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Dr. Chappell to Speak at London Bridge

Dr. Clovis Chappell, distinguished author, humorist and popular lecturer of the First Methodist Church in Charlotte, N. C., will preach in the London Bridge Baptist Church on Sunday, January 16, at 3 p.m.

Dr. Chappell is the author of religious books which have been rated as the best within the country, and is recognized as one of the leading evangelists today. He comes to the county under the auspices of the Virginia Beach-Princess Anne County Ministerial Association.

Mapp Attending FBI Academy

County Chief of Police Ben Mapp on Monday started his 12-week training course at the National Police Academy, the Federal Bureau of Investigation's school for police officers. He was accompanied to Washington for the opening ceremony by Virginia Beach Police Chief James E. Johnson, a recent graduate of the school.



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It Was the Buriats — Not the Rotary

It was the Princess Anne County Buriat Club which started the March of Dimes drive off with a \$100 contribution, not the Rotary Club, as the News stated in its story last week.

The News regrets the error, and wants to congratulate the Buriats for leading the list of contributors in this worthy undertaking.

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A NEW DEAL FOR THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

This week the Town Council, at the request of the Board of Directors of the Virginia Beach Chamber of Commerce, rescinded an ordinance whereby the Chamber of Commerce received operating funds through the Town from license taxes paid by local business concerns.

During the early 1930's, through an act of the State Legislature, license taxes were increased 25 per cent. This increase was " earmarked " to be used by the Chamber of Commerce, and all who paid license taxes automatically became members of the organization. It is now understood that the procedure was illegal. We wonder, since the Town has divorced the Chamber, if a decrease in the too high city taxes will be forthcoming.

The present plan is for the Chamber of Commerce to solicit memberships from local business establishments and individuals—as is the custom of the majority of such organizations—but the Town will contribute (and has provided for this in the budget) \$7,500.00 for operating expenses.

We believe that the new plan will create a local interest that lately has apparently been lacking. When a person is forced or is automatically made a contributing member in any organization there is a lack of interest, whereas if he makes a voluntary contribution he is more apt to take an interest, at least to the point of determining where and how his money is being used.

There is much to be done by the local Chamber of Commerce. Virginia Beach has yet to be put before the public. We are geographically located at the "end of the line" where few people stumble upon us. The Chamber of Commerce has to entice the people and interest them in coming here, then it is up to the merchants, hotel and amusement operators to keep them here—and see that they return year after year.

We understand that the organization has been limited as to the extent of its campaign due to the lack of funds. Now that it is again on its own we suggest that all hands turn to and produce a unified effort to sell Virginia Beach.

We do not favor several groups individually soliciting funds to try to do the same job on a smaller scale. We would like to see all efforts and resources pooled and an honest effort put forth to put Virginia Beach on the map as a No. 1 resort.

NORFOLK MAKES A GOOD CHOICE

We would like to congratulate Judge Richard B. Spindle on his choice of men to serve as grand jurors for the police investigation in Norfolk.

It has been noted of late that many accusing fingers have been pointed at Norfolk as a place harboring a lot of evil—and a glance at the police record leaves no doubt of the fact.

We believe that these men selected by Judge Spindle will go a long way to get to the bottom of Norfolk's trouble.

If other communities in the State would follow this excellent example by appointing such representative citizens to serve as grand jury men when the occasion arises, it would help tremendously to uphold the law and honor of the State.

YOUR DIME MARCHES ON

Throughout Virginia this month, posters will remind us that it's time to give to the "March of Dimes." This year a new note of urgency, sounded by Marine General A. A. Vandergift as State Chairman, asks your attention: Virginia chapters of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, carrying out their pledge to provide medical treatment for polio victims, are scraping the bottom of their barrels. This year's outbreak of infantile paralysis in the Old Dominion served to wipe out the reserves of many chapters. Others have had to call on the National Foundation's epidemic aid pool for large grants.

It costs real money to care for a youngster struck down by infantile paralysis. Hospitalization often extends over months or years. The bill for "iron lung" victims averages \$25 a day. Any person who looks over a list of hospital bills paid by the "March of Dimes" for individual patients—bills as high as \$5,000 for less than a year's treatment—thinks first of a sobering question: How could I pay this bill if this were my child?

Infantile paralysis, mercifully, it not our most prevalent communicable disease, but it is a cripple which strikes at children in every walk of life—rich and poor, white and Negro. Nearly 600 victims were reported in Virginia in 1948—eight of them in Princess Anne County. With the exception of the 1944 epidemic year, it was the state's worst year since 1935. Hundreds of these children remain in hospitals, and we must not let them down. Dig a little deeper this year, and let your dime march on.

Improvement of Virginia's Secondary Highway System Is Most Significant Postwar Road Development in State

The overall improvement of Virginia's secondary highway system has been one of the most significant postwar road developments in the State, a spokesman for the State Highway Department declared this week.

Considering the relative volume of traffic, the secondary system of farm-to-market and RFD routes is more advanced than the primary system, the spokesman said.

This is because 39 per cent of all highway revenue is expended on the secondary roads, he explained, although the secondary roads carry less than 20 per cent of the total traffic volume and therefore earn less than 20 per cent of the total revenue.

During the past two fiscal years, the spokesman said, more than 1,875 miles of unimproved secondary roads were hard-surfaced and thousands of miles were stabilized. During both years, school buses traveled their routes without losing a school day due to mud on the roads.

Of the 38,500 miles in the secondary system, less than 5,000 were without surfacing of some sort (blacktop or crushed stone) as 1948 drew to a close.

Despite the postwar development of the secondary system, the spokesman said, there have been several requests that a greater proportion of highway funds go into the improvement of the secondary road system.

"Few people realize," one member of the Highway Commission commented recently, "that all of the money for improvement and maintenance of Virginia highways comes from the highway user himself in the form of taxes and licenses. Therefore, most of the funds that we have to spend come from the travelers on our main highways, or primary road system."

"It is not only fair to modernize the primary roads, and to keep them in good condition, but it is essential to traffic safety and it is good business. Better roads create more traffic and consequently earn more revenue."

"We know it is hard for the average rural dweller to understand when he sees news reports of large sums being expended on the main highways," the Commission member continued. "Particularly is this true when mention is made of amounts for landscaping or beautification."

"Perhaps," he suggested, "those words should never be used, for most of this money is an engineering necessity—grading, sloping, planting grass or shrubs—so that cuts and fills will not wash and log drains or cause cave-ins."

The highway department spokesman pointed out that, although great progress has been made on the secondary roads, "the department full well appreciates that no one wants a muddy road, regardless of how little traffic it may carry."

"Those living on dirt roads want them graveled," he said, "those living on gravel roads want them paved; and those living on paved roads want improved width, grade and alignment. The desire for improvement is natural and understandable. But the job will be long and hard and it cannot be done overnight. Meanwhile, we must continue to eliminate the bottlenecks and traffic hazards on the primary roads."

"Primary road improvement is fully as important to the man who lives on a secondary road as it is to anyone else," he added, "because figures show that more than 40 per cent of his travel is on the primary system."

Thomas Holland, Formerly of Beach, Dies in Washington

Thomas Holland, brother of the late Miss Annie M. Holland, of Virginia Beach, died on January 9, at Washington, D. C.

Mr. Holland is survived by his wife, one daughter, Miss Virginia L. Holland; one brother, Arthur C. Holland, of Washington, D. C.; and a nephew, Fred W. Holland, of Belleville, N. J.

A former resident of Virginia Beach, Mr. Holland lived on 27th Street. He and his brother were in the real estate business here. Funeral services were conducted from the Hines Funeral Home, in Washington, on January 11.

A pencil eraser will remove the black marks left by some rubber heels.

Mrs. Anderson, Beach Summer Resident, Dies

News has been received here of the death Monday in Miami Beach, Fla., of Mrs. Alice Boatwright Anderson, wife of Dr. Paul V. Anderson, of 1400 Westbrook Ave., Richmond, Va. Funeral services will be held Saturday at 3:30 p.m. at the residence in Richmond with burial in Forest Lawn Cemetery.

Dr. and Mrs. Anderson are well known at the Beach and have a cottage on Avenue B, Cavalier shores. They were on a vacation trip to Florida at the time of her death. He is president of Westbrook Sanatorium.

Surviving Mrs. Anderson are her husband; a sister, Mrs. Pattie B. Cole, of Rocky Mount, N. C.; and two brothers, Brigadier-General Walter P. Boatwright, of San Francisco, and Dr. Howard L. Boatwright, of Newport News.

A new baby bottle warmer plugs into the automobile cigar lighter socket.

Dietrich Approves Corn Club Projects

Virginia's 100-bushel corn club project, featured in 46 counties last year, has been approved for 1949 by L. B. Dietrich, director of the Agricultural Extension Service.

"The project," Mr. Dietrich said, "was very popular in the State in 1948, and current interest indicates there will be many more corn clubs organized this year. These clubs are valuable, not only in corn production, but in teaching the value of good cultural practices and of adequate plant food on all crops."

Mr. Dietrich said the recent decline in corn prices increases the need for all practices that will reduce the cost of producing corn. Princess Anne County had its first corn-growing club last year, joined by 41 farmers, of whom five made the 100-Bushel Corn Club with 120.5 bushel the highest yield. County Agent H. W. Odlin said the county will have another club this year, and will soon have details and rules ready.

Norfolk County plans this year for the first time to promote a corn-growing club, County Agent L. B. Wilkins said.

An ordinary salt shaker is handy for planting very small seeds.

Total sales by producers from the 1948 five-cured tobacco crop amounted to 127,706,410 pounds compared with total sales last season of 141,837,940 pounds. The average price per hundred pounds of \$48.56, the second highest on record, compares with \$38.98, the average received for the 1947 crop. The highest season average on record of \$54.00 per hundred was for the 1919 crop.

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There are three very definite reasons why we should not consider the buying of a Television receiver at this time:

1. We feel that as our area will not have a nearby Television station for a very long time, maybe a year or more, Television reception at this time is not practical; and any image we may now receive is not clear and very "freakish."

2. We know that within a year or more many and vast improvements will be made.

3. We are certain that in a year from now when we do have nearby Television stations and can receive the broadcasts, the price of Television receivers will be much lower than at the present time.

Being the exclusive RCA Victor and Bendix dealer for this area, we wish to advise the people of Virginia Beach and Princess Anne County that when Television time arrives you will be promptly informed. All in all, we promise that when the proper time comes we will be able to supply you with the latest improved sets at the lowest possible cost.

Signed,

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MORE CONSERVATION DURING 1949 URGED BY ACA CHAIRMAN

"Total conservation practice funds for 1949 will be nearly double the amount available for the 1948 program," according to R. W. Lane, chairman of the Princess Anne County Agricultural Conservation Committee. "With this additional assistance, Princess Anne County farmers should be able to carry out considerably more conservation than under the program of the past year."

Mr. Lane urged farmers to plan now to increase their efforts against the forces which destroy the land's productivity—gullies, leaching, water-logging and erosion. These conditions are sometimes the result of neglect, the chairman said, and sometimes because the farmer cannot bear the cost. Under the 1949 Agricultural Conservation Program, the Government shares the cost of correcting these conditions.

The Princess Anne County ACP Handbook for 1949 lists a number of conservation practices on which farmers may earn payments. These practices include:

1. Applying standard ground limestone or equivalent material to farmland.
2. Establishing a winter cover crop in the fall of 1949.
3. Establishing a winter cover crop of small grains made in the fall of 1948 left on the land or

turned under.

4. Turning under or leaving on the land a good stand and good growth of soybeans or cowpeas planted during the spring or summer of 1949.

5. Turning under a good stand and good growth of millet, sorghum, sudan grass, down corn, planted during the spring or summer of 1949.

6. Constructing or enlarging of drainage ditches on farm land.

7. Establishing a permanent pasture by seeding adapted grasses and legumes.

8. Planting approved species of forest trees.

9. Improving stands of forest trees.

Farmers cooperating in the 1949 Agricultural Conservation Program may receive assistance in the form of materials, services or cash payments amounting to about one-half of the cost of the practice. The assistance to any one farmer in 1949 may be as much as \$750.00, an increase in the limit of \$500.00 under the 1948 program.

From 1944 through 1948, only three-quarters of a million automobiles were scrapped in the U. S.—the lowest scrapage rate in history.

County Agent Urges Dairymen Attend Convention

County Farm Agent H. W. Olin urges all dairymen in Princess Anne County to attend the Virginia State Dairymen's Association meeting which will be held in Roanoke January 29 and 30. It will be the 42nd annual convention of the group.

General theme of the meeting will be "Goodwill through Mutual Understanding."

Speakers scheduled for the two-day session are F. E. O'Donnell, bureau of agricultural economics USDA, Washington, D. C.; Dr. J. A. Loomis, Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y.; C. H. C. Beakes II, special consultant, U. S. Treasury Department, and W. J. Hughes, Jr., both of Washington, D. C.; Dr. E. A. Perregaux, University of Connecticut; Dr. W. S. Newman, resident of V. P. I.; and Dr. W. A. Kraus, director, Ohio Experiment Station.

Banquet speaker on Thursday night, January 30, will be Dr. P. Oland Wagner, pastor of the Central Baptist Church of Norfolk.

The Friday session will feature election of officers and meetings of the Virginia dairy breeds associations.

C. H. Gordon, of Beakerville, president of the state association, will preside. All dairymen in Princess Anne County should arrange to attend this convention, Mr. Olin declared.

On January 18 and 19, the Virginia Dairy Products Association will also meet in Roanoke. C. W. Miller, of Roanoke, is president.

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greater cost than ever before. It was a challenge which we met, but in meeting it we completely exhausted our emergency funds."

Mrs. Clark listed two primary reasons for greater donations than ever before during the campaign. On the one hand there is the ever present threat of a local infantile paralysis epidemic, such as last year's crippling attacks in parts of North Carolina and California, while on the other is the tremendously high cost of aftercare for those stricken.

"Funds of local chapters were soon exhausted," Mrs. Clark said. "Then they found how important was the emergency fund at national headquarters. Appeals were promptly met with additional funds."

"Similar epidemic conditions may be duplicated here in Princess Anne County. Greater donations to the March of Dimes campaign will enable us to fight back if the dreaded disease hits here at home," Mrs. Clark stated. "Our donations of dimes and dollars are the bullets on which the shock-troops in the field depend. And the shock-troops are the physicians and nurses. Their equipment consists of the iron lungs and hospital beds, the thousand and one items without which a polo army cannot fight."

The actual battle does not end with the end of the epidemic, Mrs. Clark warned. March of Dimes funds must also provide for aftercare of polo victims, and that may reach \$10,000 or more in some cases, while the average cost is around \$2,000. There is only one source of income in this grueling fight—the annual March of Dimes drive.

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W. F. Crockett, writing for a three-man committee appointed by Col. George T. Derby, District Army Engineer, said fishermen had agreed to remove nets from the resort area by June 1 of each year and that no fishing would be undertaken during the summer season.

The council also heard the auditor's preliminary report for the fiscal year of 1948 from M. Lu Goodman. He said that the town showed a deficit of some \$30,000 in the general fund. Taxes, he said, appeared to be in "good shape," with deficiencies last year accounting for only a third of total delinquencies. Total bonded indebtedness at the first of September he listed at \$750,000. He noted that a 1919 issue is due to be retired in full this year.

Main cause of the town's poor financial condition, Mr. Goodman said, is that capital improvements were made out of current revenue, carving a deficiency in cash balance.

Dr. Tanimoto Guest Speaker at Rotary Club Meeting

The Rotary Club heard Dr. Kohei Tanimoto, survivor of the atom bombing of Hiroshima, who was principal speaker at the club's weekly dinner meeting. Dr. Tanimoto, who was one of the six survivors described in the John Hersey book, "Hiroshima," is a graduate of Emory University, and pastor of the Methodist Church of Hiroshima.

The Rotarians meet at the Pine Tree in each Thursday.

Legals

Please take notice that on the 24th day of January, 1949, the undersigned will apply to the Virginia Alcoholic Beverage Control Board for retail license to sell beer for on and off premises consumption at Oyster Haven, Oceana, Virginia.

DOROTHY M. MURPHY, Proprietor.

Experiments in England recently completed showed that handkerchiefs spread cold germs as much as sneezing.

Colonial Club and Tidewater Gas Vie For Bowling Title

The Colonial Club and Tidewater Gas women's bowling teams will meet for the championship of the first half of the Women's Bowling League on Friday at 8 p.m. at the bowling alley.

Results of Wednesday night's games were: M. & M. Lynnhaven, took two from Beau Jack's; Colonial Ready-to-Wear took two from Shelly's; Colonial Club, two from Minton's; Community House, two from The Spot; Princess Anne Florist, two from Harold's; Tidewater Gas, three from Fuel and Feed; Virginia Beach Hardware, two from Seaside Sea Food.

High single game went to Margaret Allen, Tidewater Gas, with 133; Julia Martin, of the same team, had high set with 304.

Twenty-three states are considering bills to boost the gasoline tax.

Speed the setting of gasoline by dissolving the package in a cup adding a cup of crushed ice after of hot water.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

We Both Won This One

Blew my top the other morning when I discovered a shirt I'd put on had two buttons missing.

"Joe," the missus says, "do you ever read what you write? For a man who writes newspaper pieces all about tolerance, you sometimes show a lot of race prejudice."

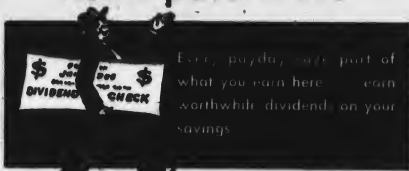
"Race prejudice!" I holler. "No one can accuse me of that." "I mean prejudice against the entire human race," she interrupts with a smile. "Why get mad at the world over two little buttons?" That took the wind out of me.

From where I sit (as I told the missus that evening), a lot of us sometimes get too worked up over little things... little differences of opinion or taste. One person prefers beer or ale, another prefers cider or lemonade. But why criticize the other fellow just because his tastes aren't the same as ours? "That sounds more like you, Joe," she laughs, snipping off a thread. (It so happens she was sewing on buttons.)

Joe Marsh

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PARTIES -- ANNOUNCEMENTS -- PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Larsen, of Philadelphia, Pa., after visiting Mr. Larsen's mother, Mrs. Harold Larsen, in Bird Neck Road.

Mrs. Constance T. Moore has left to visit her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Temple Craig Moore, at their home in Memphis.

Mrs. Arthur Cannon arrived Monday from Richmond to visit her sister, Mrs. Mary Farnival, at her home on 46th Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Steuer returned Monday to their home on Raleigh Drive after visiting Mrs. Steuer's sister, Mrs. L. W. Ross, in Feylan, Rose Valley, Pa. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Ross, who is their guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Deal will move this month from Norfolk to their new home on the Lynnhaven River.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian E. Pearson left last week by motor to spend some time in New Orleans, La.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nicholson, William Nicholson and William Flynn have returned to their homes after attending the marriage of Miss Bobbie Collier Langford and Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson's son, James Nicholson, which took place Saturday afternoon in the Monumental Methodist Church in Emporia, Va.

Mrs. Robert Fries has returned to her home on 58th Street after spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Bayard Starbuck, in Richmond. Mrs. Fries has recently moved from 36th Street to her new home on 58th Street.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Waddill have returned to their home on Avenue A after spending the week-end in Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hays will leave today to spend some time in Palm Beach and Miami, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Pirih returned Tuesday to their home in Charlottesville, Va., after visiting Miss Florence McMoine at her home on 36th Street.

Major and Mrs. Walter Beckett, Jr., who have been visiting Major Beckett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beckett, on Poochontas Drive, have left for Maxwell Field, Alabama, where Major Beckett will attend the Air Staff College.

Mr. and Mrs. Mallory Boush, of Blacksburg and Virginia Beach, Va., announce the birth of a daughter, Carol Love, on January 1, at Radford, Va.

MISS LANGFORD, JAMES NICHOLSON MARRIED SATURDAY AT EMPORIA

The wedding of Miss Bobbie Collier Langford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis William Langford, of Emporia, and James Nicholson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Nicholson, of Virginia Beach, took place Saturday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the Monumental Methodist Church, in Emporia. Rev. W. G. Winton officiated.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of eggshell satin made with a round neckline. Her veil of illusion was held by a coronet of orange blossoms, and she carried a bouquet of white roses centered with an orchid.

Miss Hope Langford, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore an ice blue satin dress, with matching mits, and carried a bouquet of red roses.

Miss Susan Kluge was flower girl. She wore blue satin with a matching headband. Roger Collier was ringbearer.

Edward K. Nicholson, of Richmond, was his brother's best man, and ushers were Corporal Thomas W. Nicholson, USA, of Fort Bragg, N. C., and Ralph T. Fishburn, of Roanoke.

A reception at the Emporia Country Club followed the ceremony after which the couple left for a southern wedding trip.

Miss Ann Brumby, of Macon, Ga., who is visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Admiral and Mrs. F. H. Brumby, in Norfolk, is spending a few days with Mrs. John G. Tilton at her home on Avenue C.

Miss Sylvia Carpenter has returned to her home on 53rd Street after spending the week-end at the University of Virginia.

Mrs. Charles G. Hunter, of Norfolk, spent last week-end with Mrs. Harry A. Sessions at her home on Avenue E.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Ferris, of New York, have left for Carmel, Calif., after visiting Mrs. Arthur P. Homer on Avenue A.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Johnson have returned to their home in Cavalier Park after spending a few days at Duck Island, N. C.

Mrs. Leslie Richardson left Tuesday to spend some time in New York and attend the Lamp Show.

Lieut. and Mrs. Robert Hand returned Friday to their home in Chicago, Ill., after visiting Mrs. Hand's father, Col. Paul H. Herman, at his home in Cavalier Shores.

Mrs. Marion Crawford Adams has returned to Boston, Mass., after spending a few days with Mrs. Constance Moore at her home on Cavalier Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lee have returned to their home in Cavalier Park after spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Foreman, in Ahoskie, N. C.

Mrs. Martha Robinson is a patient at the Virginia Beach Hospital.

Mrs. C. Quincy Hutchins, who has been visiting her son, Scott, at his home on 69th Street, left yesterday to spend some time in California.

Miss Margaret Ames has returned to Washington after visiting Capt. and Mrs. C. N. Hinkamp at their home in Bay Colony.

Mrs. Herman O. Nichols left Sunday to spend some time in Washington, D. C., and New York City.

Miss Margaret Webb left Saturday to spend a month in Dunedin, Florida.

Mrs. Allen F. Allison is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Allison, at their home in Newport News, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Benson have returned from their wedding trip to New Orleans, La., and are spending some time with Mrs. Gladys Johnson, on Poochontas Drive.

Mrs. James Powell Watson, Jr., is spending some time at the Hillsboro Club in Pompano Beach, Florida.

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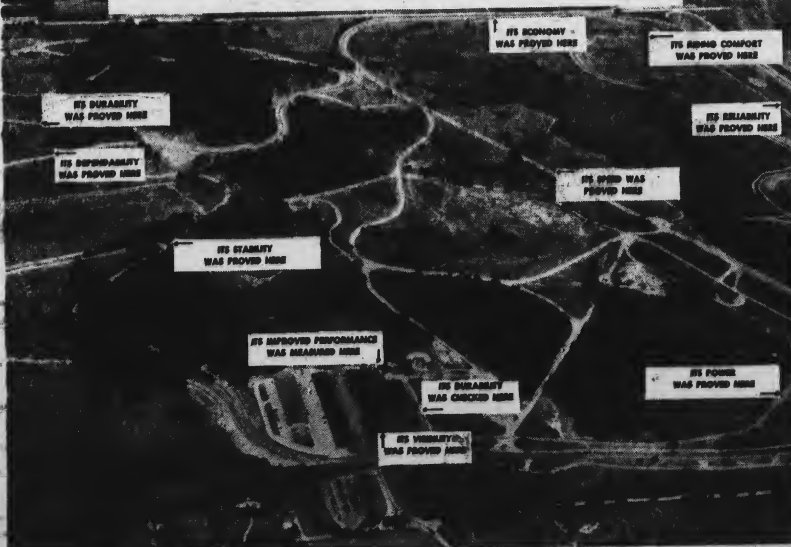
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Mrs. Knight Guest Speaker at Woman's Club Meeting

"It behooves the women of today to exercise their responsibility as women voters," was the message of Mrs. L. D. S. Knight, guest speaker at the Tuesday luncheon of the Woman's Club of Princess Anne County. Taking as her subject, "International Relations," Mrs. Knight declared that the world is in the worst situation it has ever been in. With two million more women voters, she contended, the responsibility of the world would not be taken lightly by the women. She spoke on the necessity of an informed group of women.

No member of the club was announced. They are Mrs. Margaret S. and Mrs. Genevieve Shaffer.

Mrs. Nita McMenamin, chairman, in the ways and means committee and her committee gave reports on the progress of plans for the Fashion Show and Card Party to be given February 23 at the Princess Anne County Club. Mrs. George Mullen, ticket chairman, urged that members who have tickets to sell for the card party at the meeting call.

Garden Club Hears Mrs. Ashburn

Mrs. W. R. Ashburn was principal speaker at the meeting of the Virginia Beach Garden Club. Hostesses for the event were Mrs. N. H. Bundy and Mrs. Preston Hix.

Mrs. Ashburn took as her subject "Gardens of the Bible."

A report was made of the outcome of the club's garden tour held before Christmas. Turned a success, the tour netted approximately \$300, which the club will use to landscape the grounds about the Community House. It was also announced that the tour would again be conducted this year.

her at her home (telephone 1108-1) to secure tickets.

The club donated \$50 to the March of Dimes campaign. A \$25 contribution was also voted for the D. Rothley Eley Memorial Fund. Mrs. Eley, who died recently, was president of the Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. F. L. Waite, American home chairman, will be in charge of the program for the next meeting.

Linkhorn Garden Club Has Mrs. Bell as Guest Speaker

Mrs. James M. Bell, Jr., of the Virginia Beach Garden Club, was the guest speaker at the meeting of the Linkhorn Garden Club held last Friday at the home of Mrs. M. H. Marshall on Holly road.

Mrs. Bell was introduced by Mrs. James McMenamin, vice president of the group, in the absence of the president, Mrs. James J. Goode. She took as her subject, "Dried Materials for Arrangements."

"In making an arrangement of any kind, the most important point to have in mind is to begin with the formation of a particular design," said Mrs. Bell. "In order to achieve harmony and perfection, careful consideration must be given to the selection of the container, materials to be used and the colors chosen. Advance thought should be given to the early stages and hung upside down, in a dark, dry place, in preparation for future use. Mechanical devices should never be seen; there being numerous ways of concealing them from sight, for instance, clay, moss, pebbles or sand. Specific stress was placed on the fact that every arrangement must have a focal point."

Following the speaker's talk, an article on "Care of Your Garden for January" was read by Mrs. Claude Bell.

Mrs. Robert L. Simpson and Mrs. M. H. Marshall, Jr., were introduced as guests of the meeting. It was announced that a member of the club, Mrs. T. H. Rose, won the prize offered by the Junior Woman's Club for the best Christmas doorway. Ribbons for arrangements were awarded as follows: gold to Mrs. C. N. Hinkamp, blue to Mrs. J. H. Proudfoot, 3rd, and red to Mrs. W. B. Meredith.

In closing the meeting, tribute was paid to an associate member, Alexander Randolph Holladay, who passed away a few days prior to the meeting.

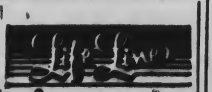
The February meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Lowery D. Pinley, on 38th Street, with Mrs. William Petty Dickson as co-hostess.

Early Reservations For Inauguration Urged by N. & W.

Rail traffic for the presidential inauguration in Washington is expected to be heavy and Norfolk and Western urges passengers traveling by sleepers on and before January 20 to make their reservations early.

Some 425 special sleeping cars already have been ordered by railroads from all parts of the country for the event. Most of them will be parked in the yards in Washington and will be available as "hotels" for passengers during their stay. This service, however, is available only to persons occupying specially chartered cars.

Producers sales of fire-cured tobacco amounted to 3,998,707 pounds and averaged \$22.15 per hundred, compared with 3,354,892 pounds in December last year for an average of \$27.54 per hundred.



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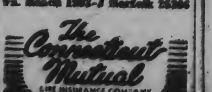
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Capt. and Mrs. James C. Moffatt will move this month from Bird Neck Point to their new home in Cavalier Shores.

Mr. and Mrs. George Meredith left Friday to spend the remainder of the winter in Lantana, Fla.

Cornelius Scully has returned to Alexandria, Va., after spending the week-end with Mrs. Scully at her home on 26th Street.

Peggy and Nancy Fries have returned to their home on 26th Street after spending the week-end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Johnson, at their home "Somerset Farm," in Princess Anne County.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Webb Brown and children, Jane and Webb, will return this week from Key West and Lake Worth, Florida, where they spent the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Leo Hollenbeck, of Ocean, who underwent surgery at Lee Memorial Hospital December 30, has returned to her home. Mr. Hollenbeck, who has been with his family since December 22, will return to his position with the U. S. Engineers Office, St. Louis, Mo., January 21.

Mrs. John Earle White has left by plane, for San Antonio, Texas, to visit her son, Lt. Col. C. B. White, Marine Corp., and family at their home at Fort Sam Houston, Texas. Mrs. White was accompanied by her grandson, Armstead Smith.

John A. Tucker, local agent, attended the annual Winter business meeting of the D. Conrad Little Agency, Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Co., in Richmond last week-end. Mrs. Tucker also joined her husband in attendance at the agent's dinner and dance held at the Westwood Supper Club Friday night.

LT. CHARLES B. ALLEN RE MATERIAL OFFICER IN TRAINING, B. W. I.

Lt. Charles B. Allen, USN, husband of Mrs. Charles B. Allen, of 214 31st Street, Virginia Beach, is serving as material officer of Patrol Squadron 48 at the Naval Air Station, Trinidad, B. W. I.

Lt. Allen, who entered the Naval service August 17, 1932, received his flight training at the Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Florida.

Before entering the Naval service he was graduated from high school at Stockton, Kansas.

OCEANA CIVIC LEAGUE TO MEET WEDNESDAY NIGHT

R. E. Etheridge, president, announces that the Oceana Civic League will meet Wednesday night at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium. All members are asked to be present.

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The 1st Fleet Officers' Association will hold its annual meeting at the Norfolk Hotel on Friday, January 14, at 8:00 p.m. The speaker for the evening will be Mr. J. H. Smith, Chief of the Bureau of Naval Personnel. The meeting is open to all officers of the fleet.

Rules Announced by Little Theatre

The Little Theatre of Virginia Beach will meet Tuesday, January 18, at 8:00 p.m. in the directors' room of the P. A. of Virginia Beach. Announcement of rules for a radio program has been made by the Little Theatre. They are:

1. The script must contain material which will further the aims of the Little Theatre. (As a community theatre, the Little Theatre, which has an active workshop group, and is forming a children's theatre group, aims to give every member of the community creative and informative activity and recreation, either from a participating or an audience standpoint.)
2. There should be not more than 1200 words.
3. The script may contain from one to four characters—no more.
4. The script must mention the performance of "Junior Miss" which will be presented at the Community House February 14-15. ("Junior Miss" has seventeen speaking parts—ten members of the cast are under twenty—mostly students of Oceana High School—Carol Simpson will direct.)
5. Judges reserve the right to revise portions of the script if it is deemed necessary. The winning script will be the one which, in the opinion of the judges, is most interesting and most suitable. The winning script will be presented on the air on February 11, at 7:30 p.m. over WTAR, and the winner will also receive a pair of tickets to "Junior Miss."
6. Scripts must be sent to Mrs. J. W. Ellis, 72nd Street, Virginia Beach, not later than Monday, February 6.
7. The contest is open to all.
8. Final judge for the contest will be Warner Twyford, dramatic critic for the Virginian Pilot.

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Playing before a capacity crowd in Kempville on Tuesday, January 11, the basketball teams of Oceana and Kempville split a double header in a pair of exciting games.

The Oceana team continued undefeated by staving off a last half Kempville rally to win 21-21. Oceana led 18-5 at the half but were outscored after intermission by a hard fighting Kempville team. Oceana with 11 points played a fine defensive game.

The Kempville boys defeated the Oceana five 21-11 in a 1st half scoring game. Making a high percentage of their shots from the field, the Blue Devils pulled up a 28-19 half time lead. During the last half they held to the level with Ted Shreve showing the way. Shreve was high for the Blue

CLINTON J. PRITCHARD

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Pritchard, of 315 26th Street, Virginia Beach, is serving at Camp Nakai, which is near Omaha, the second largest city in Japan. He recently enjoyed a rest on Thanksgiving Day after participating in maneuvers at the Aomori Maneuver area near Lake Biwa, the largest fresh water lake in Japan.

Pvt. Pritchard is a member of Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 24th Infantry Regiment of the famous 24th Infantry (Tropic Lightning) Division, commanded by Major General William B. Kean.

Virginia fine-cured tobacco sales in December were small compared with a year earlier as warehouses at six markets closed in November. The remaining markets closed December 18. Producers sales totaled 1,832,312 and averaged \$37.55 per hundred pounds according to reports to the Commissioner of Agriculture, compared with December 1947 sales of 18,329,878 for an average of \$38.97 per hundred.

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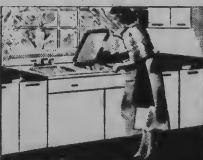
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Waterways Association Hears Reports of Progress at Meeting

Town and County Aaked by Army Engineers To Endorse All Phases of Tremendous Project

Work on the local reports for the Lynnhaven Waterways project is proceeding rapidly, it was brought out at a meeting of the Lynnhaven Waterways Association at the Cavalier Hotel Tuesday night.

Reports were made by many of the committees involved, and Col. George T. Derby, of the Army Engineers, asked members of the association to put them in final shape as soon as possible in order that the Engineers might forward them with their recommendations for possible Federal action on the huge project.

Col. Derby told the group that complete reports must be made before his department can put its final stamp of approval on the project. Such reports must also be accompanied by confirmation from both the Town Council and the Board of Supervisors that these two bodies will back the proposal.

The association heard Russell Hatchett, chairman of the sewerage disposal committee, give a preliminary report of the findings of the survey of pollution in the waters of Linkhorn Bay. P. H. Miller, of Norfolk, regional engineer for the State Health Department, conducted the survey. It was reported that the field work, which is completed, indicated a minor pollution of the waters. The final report has not yet been put in shape.

R. E. Dorer, head of the mosquito control work in this area, reported that the project would open up areas that have become stagnant and hence breeding areas for mosquitoes.

The report from the committee having to do with securing releases from shellfish interests to permit dredging indicated that such releases had been secured in all cases.

The committee on disposal areas reported that it had been able to secure adequate shore sites for the disposal of dredged material, should the project be realized.

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March of Dimes Dance Saturday Night for Benefit of Polio Fund

Buddy Myers to Play for Dance to be Held At Cavalier Beach Club; Junior Chamber of Commerce Sponsoring Gala Event

High point of March of Dimes news is the March of Dimes Dance which will be held in the Panorama Room of the Cavalier Beach Club on Saturday night, January 22.

The dance, which is sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce, promises to be a gala affair, according to the Jaycees. Buddy Myers' orchestra, one of the most popular dance bands in this area, has been secured for the event, and the sponsors are planning to decorate the ball room to add to the festive atmosphere.

Reservations for the dance may be obtained by phoning Owen Moore, Jaycee president, at Virginia Beach 1869. A charge of \$1.50 per person is being made, and all receipts go to the March of Dimes.

In the meantime, Mrs. Wallace Clark, campaign chairman for Virginia Beach for the fund drive, said that the campaign is increasing in momentum as it enters its second week. However, she urged all citizens to redouble their efforts in the final week to make the drive a resounding success.

So far, Mrs. Clark said, "Princess Anne County residents have responded generously to the 1949 March of Dimes. Judging by reports from our various committee chairmen, every segment of the public seems keenly aware of the urgent need to make our current appeal a record success."

Mrs. Clark pointed out, however, that if the goal is to be reached, the efforts of every citizen must be redoubled. During the final week of the drive, she



ALBERT ROPER

Al Roper to Join Va. Beach Motors

Albert Roper has resigned his position as assistant manager of the Virginia Beach Branch of the National Bank of Commerce, and has joined the sales staff of the Virginia Beach Motors. Mr. Roper's resignation from the bank is effective February 1.

He joined the staff of the Bank of Commerce in November, 1940.

Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue To be Here Soon

A deputy collector of Internal Revenue will be stationed at the Town Hall, Virginia Beach, to assist residents in filing their income tax returns. He will be on duty from January 31 to February 4, from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily.

Lockwood and Patton to Speak At Civic Meeting

Meeting to be Held At Cooke School Monday Night

Lawrence Lockwood, town manager of Virginia Beach, will be the principal speaker at the open meeting of the South Virginia Beach Civic League on Monday, January 24. Mr. Lockwood will share the rostrum with Mayor W. F. Patton, who will discuss the history of the financial structure of Virginia Beach.

Mr. Lockwood will take as his subject the forthcoming referendum on the proposed half-million dollar bond issue and related subjects.

He urges Beach residents and taxpayers attend the open meeting, which will take place at the Willoughby T. Cooke School auditorium at 8 p.m. "It is most important that Beach citizens understand the necessity for the bond issue, and that they go to the poll to vote on the referendum armed with all the facts."

"We want the voters to be informed in all details, and a meeting such as the Civic League's open meeting on Monday is an excellent place to learn them," Mr. Lockwood said.

There will be a question and answer period after the addresses.

The meeting will be opened by an invocation by Rev. Robert Davis, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, and closed with a benediction by Rev. Phillip Brennan, of the Star of the Sea Catholic Church.

The occasion for the open meeting is celebration of the second anniversary of the founding of the South Virginia Beach Civic League, according to Mrs. Margaret Klepper, secretary of the group. Ernest N. Allen is president.

Junior Woman's Club Votes \$100 for March of Dimes

The Junior Woman's Club voted to contribute \$100 to the March of Dimes Fund at its meeting on Tuesday, January 18, at the Town Hall. The grant was in answer to a letter received from Mrs. Wallace Clark, campaign director for Virginia Beach, requesting all organizations to get behind the drive to make it a success.

Mrs. J. Goodenow Tyler, Jr., first vice president, was in the chair in the absence of the club's president, Mrs. W. F. Kellam, who is attending a meeting of the club's State President's Directors in Richmond.

The club also voted to give \$25 monthly to the Welfare Department in order that their work may be continuous rather than periodical. Mrs. Walter J. Parker is chairman of the Welfare Department. A \$50 contribution to the Dot Ely Cancer Memorial Fund was also voted.

The Junior Women will hold their second book review luncheon at the Cavalier Yacht and Country Club on Tuesday, January 25, at 12:30 p.m. Mrs. George Manson, president of the Senior Woman's Club will review "Seneca's Way," by A. J. Cronin.

C. of C. Directors to Meet Thursday

President L. B. Shelly has issued a notice of a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Virginia Beach Chamber of Commerce for Thursday evening, January 27, 1949. The meeting will be held in the board room of the Bank of Virginia Beach.

Mr. Shelly announced that definite plans for the summer season will be discussed and that the board will adopt a new folder for the Beach. He also announced that the forthcoming bond issue will be discussed.

February 15 Date Set for Bond Issue Referendum

Three Separate Issues To be Decided Upon By Local Voters

Tuesday, February 15, has been set as the date for a referendum of Virginia Beach voters on the proposed \$500,000 bond issue in papers scheduled to be filed in Circuit Court today by Judge Floyd M. Kellam.

The court order, prepared for Judge Kellam's signature by Town Attorney Roy Smith, was handed to the Judge last night by Mr. Smith in the expectation that it would be filed as written—that is, that the proposed date would be the one set.

The bond issue will be voted on in three separate sections, with voters having the opportunity to vote "yes" or "no" on (1) \$75,000 bonds for enlargement of the Willoughby T. Cooke School, (2) \$275,000 for major repairs to sidewalks and streets, including curbing, guttering, and drainage, and (3) \$150,000 for seawall repairs.

The Norfolk firm of Myron Sturgeon, Civil Engineers, has recently been requested by the Town Council to expedite drawing up of plans and specifications for the repairs and that bids by qualified firms be advertised for.

Town Manager Lawrence Lockwood said that Beach residents would have the opportunity of voting on each of the three sections, and that should one be defeated, the bond issue would be decreased by that amount.

Jaycees to Hear West, Lockwood at Dinner Meeting

The Junior Chamber of Commerce will hear Granger West, of Newport News, vice president of the State organization, and Lawrence Lockwood, town manager of Virginia Beach, at their regular dinner meeting, on Tuesday, January 25, at the Cavalier Hotel.

Mr. Lockwood will speak on the proposed bond issue for municipal improvements in the town.

DISTRICT BOY SCOUTS BOARD OF REVIEW TO MEET THURSDAY NIGHT

The Princess Anne District of the Boy Scouts of America will hold its Board of Review Thursday, January 27, 7:30 p.m. at the Community House.

All Scoutmasters are requested to have their troops there by W. E. Senter, chairman of advancement, as this will be the last Board of Review before the Scout Week Court of Honor.



AUDIENCE IN ACTION—Miss Jane Stoddard, State Supervisor of Special Education Services, Richmond, (second from left) demonstrates the use of the audiometer for school children, to Frank W. Cox, county superintendent of schools, and Miss Katherine Mander, teacher at Willoughby T. Cooke School. Little Room Room serves as the recipient of the test. One of two testing machines (the other for field testing) presented to the county schools by the Junior Woman's Club from the proceeds of last summer's successful "Follies" machine has been described as "most necessary and most constructive, and an excellent addition" by Miss Stoddard. Its use is recommended by the American Medical Association to discover defects in hearing in their early stages.

Governor Approves \$40,000 State Grant For Erosion Control; Town to Match Sum

February 15 Is Final Filing Date For ACP Reports

Directors Name Project Chairmen And Committees

Princess Anne County farmers, expecting to receive payments for practices carried out under the 1948 Agricultural Conservation Program, and who have not yet reported what they did, had better get busy immediately. Such was the warning issued this week by R. W. Lane, chairman of the County ACP Committee, who stated that Tuesday, February 15, 1949, is the last day on which farmers may file 1948 ACP performance reports with the County ACP Office.

"There's only a short time left," Mr. Lane said, "and to date the county office has on file 1948 performance reports from only 108 farmers, whereas we are expecting a total of 308 reports to be filed. Unless these outstanding reports are made right away, I am afraid some of our farmers will be a long time getting their checks."

He pointed out that farmers who delay until the last minute to report, also delay the county office in preparing applications for payment. These applications must be processed by the State FMA office and the Treasury Department before checks can be issued and the Treasury Department will soon be very busy with 1948 income tax refunds.

At the same time, the ACP performance is reported, Mr. Lane said, farmers also may sign farm work sheets to indicate the practices they intend to carry out under the 1949 Agricultural Conservation Program.

Glasgow Brewing Company Licensed to Operate in State

The Glasgow Brewing Company, Inc., recently organized, has been licensed to operate in the State of Virginia, and is already well along with its modernization of its plant at 219 South Street and Brooke Avenue, Norfolk, formerly occupied by the Atlantic Community Company.

Future plans include distribution of the company's product throughout the State. Distribution to dealers and sale to consumers is expected to start March 1, or shortly thereafter.

Council Lauds Jaycee Program for Benches On Walkway; Reduces Bicycle Franchise

An appropriation of \$40,000 for combatting beach erosion, approved in the 1948 General Assembly, has received the Governor's approval, and the Town has earmarked a like amount for similar use, it was disclosed at an early morning special meeting of the Town Council yesterday.

H. W. Chaffee Gets Scouting's Highest Honor

Tidewater Council Has Meeting in Portsmouth

Herbert W. Chaffee received Scouting's highest honor, the Silver Beaver award, at a meeting of more than 200 Scoutmasters, Scout Council members, and Scout executives of the Tidewater Council. The Council, which met in Portsmouth on Tuesday evening, heard State's Attorney General J. Lindsay Almond, Jr., extol the Scouting movement as one of the greatest influences in moulding manhood.

The award to Mr. Chaffee was made by Le Jerome Taylor, of Norfolk, who is a member of the Council's Executive Board. Chaffee's ten years of service to the Scouting movement was cited, and he was praised for similar work in both France and Cuba. Nine other awards were made.

Harold V. Pace, Scout executive for the Tidewater Council—comprising Norfolk and Princess Anne counties in Virginia, and seven counties in Northeastern North Carolina—reported in his summary of 1948's activities that an overall growth of 15 per cent in the Scouting program was made with gains up to 40 per cent noted in Cub Scouting and Senior Scout work.

During the year 1949, Mr. Pace said, the Council hopes (1) to add to its Negro membership, (2) to increase its training program by using both formal courses and

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Bird Neck Point Community League Elects Officers

Officers for 1949 were elected at the annual meeting of the Bird Neck Point Community League held this week at the Cavalier Yacht and Country Club. The new president will be Edwin J. Smith; Captain E. L. Poney, vice president; Captain R. B. Crenshaw, secretary, and L. G. Hagley, treasurer.

Members elected to serve on the Board of Directors of the League were Commander H. W. Lindsay, Dr. W. V. Barber, and Mrs. J. T. Kopp.

Kontopoulos Attends Restaurant Meeting in Richmond

James Kontopoulos, well known local restaurateur, has returned from a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Virginia Restaurant Association held January 14 in Richmond.

At the meeting of the board of directors J. E. Barnhart, of the Coffee Shoppe, Warrenton, was installed as the association's new president. He succeeds L. D. Cooley, of Charlottesville, who was named chairman of the board.

Walter F. Witt, executive secretary, remains in that capacity, and O. D. Judd, Richmond, and J. E. Parker, Norfolk, are the association's new vice presidents.

The \$40,000 appropriation from State Conservation Commission funds required that the Town of Virginia Beach match the amount, town officials were informed by the Hon. W. A. Wright, State Conservation chairman.

The council also took up the matter of the bicycle franchise which was awarded last spring to H. R. Meeks and J. M. Strasser, at an annual charge of \$5,000.13 and running for five years. Councilmen voted to reduce this year's charge by \$750, in view of the hazardous condition of the walkway south of 13th Street and because of the fact that it is hoped to have much of the walkway, from 17th Street south, under repair during the summer season. One councilman declared that "while we are not bound to take this action, we do have a moral obligation to be fair."

The council endorsed the program of the Junior Chamber of Commerce to construct concrete and wood benches to be placed along the length of the walkway, and will send to that organization a vote of thanks for their "interest shown in the town" and for undertaking such a program. The only stipulation that the council will make in connection with the benches will be that the type of advertising appearing on them be approved by the council.

A letter from State Highway Commissioner General James A. Anderson to Town Manager Lawrence Lockwood assured the town that he would do what was possible to have all State maintained primary highways within the Town of Virginia Beach in first class condition by the first of June.

Council also instructed the town manager to confer both with the County Board of Supervisors and the proprietors of the Virginia Beach Hospital in an effort to work out a mutually agreeable solution to the maintenance of the ambulances, owned and operated by the town. It was pointed out that the expense of running the ambulance as a service to the town and county was costing more than the money taken in. Moreover, 50 per cent of the calls made on it are from the county. If a plan is not worked out, councilmen declared that one of the ambulances would have to be confined to the town alone.

Annual Dinner Meeting of Red Cross Tuesday

The annual dinner meeting of the Princess Anne County Chapter of the American Red Cross will be held in the lunch room of the Oceana High School on Tuesday, January 25, at 2 p.m., according to an announcement by H. W. Chaffee, chapter chairman. The entire membership and all interested residents of Princess Anne County are urged to attend.

Officers will be elected during a brief business session. Mr. Chaffee said, and a program of entertainment has been arranged. Paul W. Bonney, Jr., will give a presentation by Mrs. Bonney, the Virginia Gate Quartet, under the direction of Alex Seville, will be instrumental, and Dr. Carl S. Froehner will present some facts of medicine.

Mrs. Willard Anderson and Mrs. Ralph A. Midgert are in charge of the arrangements for the dinner. A musical concert will be made those attending.

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THE LYNNHAVEN WATERWAYS PROJECT IS IMPORTANT

The reports made by committees to the Lynnhaven Waterways Association at its meeting on Tuesday night at the Cavalier Hotel proved the absolute need for an improvement program for Lynnhaven Inlet. The potential increase in the growth of the oyster industry in the area alone would justify the expense to the State and Federal governments. The "Lynnhaven oyster" is rapidly taking a "back seat" among the oyster eating populace of the world.

Previously discussed have been the potential million dollar sport fishing industry and small boat industry that would grow out of the project. Though not mentioned to date, the commercial fishing possibilities are unlimited. With these several industries other industries are necessary: ice, fuel, repair, and maintenance. This increase in industry means a consequent increase in revenue for Princess Anne County and the State of Virginia.

The initial outlay by the State would more than repay itself in the taxes which would be levied against the various businesses which the program would promote. It is reasonable to believe that the fishing industry would rather bring their boats into Lynnhaven and save the two-hour run from Cape Henry to Norfolk. This saving of time would allow more hours for fishing, consequently more revenue.

All in all, the projected Lynnhaven program, when completed, would be of inestimable value to the immediate locality, to the County and to the State.

KNOW—THEN VOTE

With the date set for a referendum of the town's voters on the floating of a half-million dollar bond issue, now is a splendid time for the people of Virginia Beach to get about informing themselves on the pros and cons involved, and preparing themselves to go to the polls to vote intelligently.

It is not that a half million dollars is so much money in these days, especially when the purposes for which the town proposes to use the money are investigated. There is some \$75,000 that will go into enlargement of the Willoughby T. Cooke elementary school; \$275,000 will be earmarked for street repairs, curbing, guttering, and drainage; and \$150,000 for major repairs to the existing seawall.

The voter, before he can vote intelligently, must know if the bond issue is necessary, and why. Why must it be done at this time? What will happen if we just forget it all and go on as we have done? Is it enough? Why are current taxes not enough to cover these expenditures? Is there any other way to get the money without going into debt more? There are a multitude of questions, and to vote properly, Mr. and Mrs. Voter should satisfy themselves that they know the answers.

Town officials want an informed electorate. That is why Town Manager Lawrence Lockwood, Mayor Patton, and others have taken on themselves the task, and it is a heavy task, of speaking before as many groups as possible to bring to them the reasoning of the Town Council in asking for the bond issue, and to answer their questions.

Don't take someone else's word for it. Find out for yourself, and learn about it yourself. Then go vote.

THE NEWS BESTOWS AN ORCHID

The News wants to congratulate the South Virginia Beach Civic League on the occasion of its second anniversary, and to say to the League "You have done a swell job!"

The League, from its modest beginnings two years ago, has taken seriously, and held steadfastly to, the purposes set forth in its constitution. It said that it was organized "to encourage active participation in all things that have to do with civic, commercial, and industrial betterment of Virginia Beach, and to uphold the principles of good government." It would be non-partisan in all of its efforts, welcoming members with divergent views, and respecting those views.

It is heartening to report that the League has accomplished to a great extent those principles and purposes.

Moreover, it has set before the people of Virginia Beach the virtue of acting together as a team when it wants something done. Its members have worked together to secure from the town the promise of better streets in that section it encompasses, of the extension of the sewer system to South Virginia Beach; it successfully appeared before the zoning board and the council to fight the former's proposal that the industrial zone, laid out last summer, take in a part of that section. It has worked for beautification, and has taken a part in the town's civic activities.

It is indeed to be congratulated!

WATERWAYS

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led.

Judge Floyd E. Kellam, chairman, presided at Tuesday night's meeting of the association. Benjamin B. Burroughs, of Norfolk, is co-chairman of the group, and J. C. Aspinwall is secretary.

Informed sources say that the Town Council of Virginia Beach still is asked to go on record that it will guarantee an adequate sewerage disposal plant to avoid pollution of the waters of the area in the future.

The same sources indicated that the board of supervisors will be asked for resolutions endorsing the work of the various committees.

The project would call on the State for the construction of a drawbridge with an 80-foot span over the Lynnhaven Inlet, and a second drawbridge, with a 35-foot span. It would also call for the construction of docking facilities for both commercial boats engaged in fishing activities, and for pleasure craft.



Farm Bureau Day Tuesday Is Drive For Membership

In a concerted drive for a strong membership, the Princess Anne County Farm Bureau has set aside Tuesday, January 25, as "Farm Bureau Day."

J. S. Ives, chairman of the membership committee, in asking

Lt. Green Funeral In Louisville

Funeral services for Second Lt. Robert L. Green, U. S. Air Force, were held yesterday at the Zachary Taylor National Cemetery, Louisville, Ky. Lieutenant Green was killed in action on July 10, 1945, over Honshu, Japan.

Lieutenant Green, along with the rest of his crew of seven men, was flying in a B-25 when it crashed into the side of a mountain while on a bombing mission against the enemy. The bodies of the eight men were cremated by the Japanese in a mass cremation. The ashes of the men were buried in a mass grave in rites held at the cemetery with full military honors.

Lieutenant Green was a graduate of Oceana High School. Surviving him are his mother, Mrs. Ina M. Clements, of Virginia Beach, and a brother, Clifford Green. He was a son of the late C. H. Green.

John B. N. Cardozo Dies in New York

John Byrd Norris Cardozo, 68, formerly of Richmond, died Tuesday in New York City, where he had resided for about 20 years. Committal services at grave in Hollywood Cemetery, Richmond, conducted by Rev. Churchill J. Gibson, rector of the St. James Church.

Mr. Cardozo was a son of the late Edward Singleton Cardozo and Mrs. Elizabeth Morris Cardozo, of 205 22nd Street (1915-1920).

He is survived by two brothers, W. Harry Cardozo, of Cambridge, Cuba, and Edmund Randolph Cardozo, of Norfolk, and by one sister, Mrs. Mark R. Lloyd, of Richmond, the former Miss Elizabeth W. Cardozo.

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Membership—J. S. Ives, chairman; John W. Potter, Jack Etheridge, John O. Sawyer, and the board of directors.

LEGAL NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Agreement entered into on the 26th day of July, 1946, between Ralph C. Morris, party of the first part, and Mildred B. Morris, his wife, which does enable each to dispose of his or her property, whether now owned or hereinafter acquired, and bars each party from any or all claims by way of dower, courtesy, inheritance, discent, distribution, or in any other way, arising out of said property.

Above agreement, entered to record, in Norfolk County Court-house, Book 178, Page 352. Notice is hereby published of intention to sell property designated as No. 202 Twenty-seventh Street in the Town of Virginia Beach, Princess Anne County, State of Virginia. Said property which was conveyed to me by Deed dated March 13,

1946, and recorded March 14, 1946, in Princess Anne Court-house, Acknowledgment is hereby made of lifetime right of P. A. and L. A. Bolen to rear forty feet of said property. Said right to be included in transfer of property, unless otherwise specified. Said property subject to Deed of Trust held by National Bank of Commerce, Branch, Virginia Beach, Virginia.

P. W. Aches, Trustee, but otherwise unencumbered.

MILDRED BOLDS MORRIS
State of Virginia, Princess Anne County

On this 26th day of January, 1948, appeared before me, Clifford Hester, a Notary Public for the above County and State, Mildred

Bolen Morris and attests to the facts contained in the above statement, and has signed her name to the above.

CLIFFORD HESTER,
Notary Public
My Commission expires August 19, 1949.

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VIRGINIA BEACH

Serving South End (Shadow Lawn)

Lv. Third Street	Ar. Bus Station	Lv. Bus Station	Ar. Third Street
7:30*	7:35*	7:25*	7:30*
8:00*	8:05*	7:55*	8:00*
8:10†	8:15†	8:05†	8:10†
8:30*	8:35*	8:25*	8:30*
9:30	9:35	9:25	9:30
10:30	10:35	10:25	10:30
11:30	11:35	11:25	11:30
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5:05	5:10	5:00	5:05
6:05	6:10	6:00	6:05
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7:55	8:00	7:50	7:55
9:30	9:35	9:25	9:30
11:25	11:30	11:20	11:25

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*-Daily except Sundays and Holidays.

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Norfolk Southern Bus Corporation

BUS SCHEDULES

Effective January 22, 1949

BUS STATION — CAVALIER HOTEL — 89th STREET

Serving North Virginia Beach

Lv. Bus Station	Ar. Cavalier	Ar. 89th Street	Lv. 89th Street	Lv. Cavalier	Ar. Bus Station
5:45*	5:51*	5:57*	5:48*	5:56*	6:05*
6:33	6:40	6:46	6:48	6:56	7:05
6:45*	6:54*	7:02*	7:18*	7:26*	7:35*
7:41*	7:48*	7:56*	7:48*	7:56*	8:05*
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5:55	6:04	6:12	6:12	6:20	6:30
6:01*	6:08	6:16	6:16	6:24	6:34
6:05†	6:14†	6:22†	6:22†	6:30†	6:40†
6:55	7:04	7:12	7:12	7:20	7:30
7:05	7:12	7:20	7:20	7:28	7:38
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9:15	9:22	9:30	9:30	9:38	9:48
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Gray Installed As President of Ruritan National

Seventeen Attend Roanoke Convention From Princess Anne

Senator Garland Gray, of Waverly, was installed last week as president of the Ruritan National at the close of the club's 19th annual convention at Roanoke.

Senator Gray, a prominent Sussex County lumberman and business man, succeeds Dr. C. E. Myers, of Sundry, who was elected at the organization convention last year.

Also elected were Curtis Old, St. Brides, Va., vice president; Noel Lee, Jr., Washington, N. C., treasurer; and Ralph Moore, Sweetwater, Tenn., and L. W. Alford, Walterboro, S. C., directors for five year terms. T. V. Downing, of Ivor, Va., was re-elected secretary.

A delegation of 17 Princess Anne County Ruritans, headed by their president, W. F. Kellam, attended the Roanoke conference.

The Ruritan Club at Great Bridge was awarded a community betterment award.

Senator Gray is a charter member of the Waverly, Va., club and served as National vice president for Ruritan during 1948. He has been a member of the Virginia General Assembly since 1941 and is chairman of the Legislative Tax Study Commission.

President Gray is a native of Sussex County and received his education at the University of Richmond and Washington and



SENATOR GARLAND GRAY

Lee University. He operates the Gray Lumber Company at Waverly and is a former president of the Bank of Waverly. His principal outside interest lies in forest conservation and he was patron of an act passed in the 1944 Virginia General Assembly which provides more adequate forest protection and protection through funds provided by a forest products tax. His experience includes membership in the State Port Authority from 1935-40, and the chairmanship of that body from 1938 through 1940.

Senator Gray is married to the former Agnes Elizabeth Taylor and is the father of a son and three daughters. In addition to Ruritan, he holds membership in the Congressional Church, Rotary, Masonry, Phi Kappa Sigma, Theta Delta Kappa, the University Club of Washington, and the Commonwealth Club of Richmond.

Western Virginia Travel Officials to Visit Virginia Beach

Virginia Beach will be one of the stops on the itinerary of officials of shrines, natural wonders and trade development agencies west of the Blue Ridge mountains who will tour Eastern Virginia next month. It was reported yesterday by Albin Malibee, managing director of the Virginia Beach Chamber of Commerce. The tour is under the auspices of the Virginia Travel Council.

Invited to make the tour are the officials of eleven natural wonders, and others with attractions or agencies that are interested in travel promotion.

The tour will be followed by a similar one of Southwestern Virginia and the Shenandoah, for those in Eastern Virginia who also find the travel trade an important part of their economy.

The tour is being jointly sponsored by the Travel Council and the Virginia Department of Conservation and Development. The tour will be followed by a program of mutual cooperation between Virginia attractions and agencies for cooperative effort to increase the State's travel income. Full itineraries of the tours have not been announced by the council.

Virginia's travel revenue is estimated at \$164,000,000 in figures prepared for the council by the State Department of Highways.

Tidewater Gas Wins Over Colonial Club

In last Friday's roll-off for winner of the first half of the Women's Bowling League, Tidewater Gas took honors from the Colonial Club in a close decision.

Wednesday night's rolling found Louise Meers, Tidewater Gas, taking high single game for the evening of 140, and high set at 339.

Seaside Seaford took three from Community House; Virginia Beach Hardware took three from Fuel and Feed; the Spot took two from Shelly's; Colonial Club took two from Colonial Ready-to-Wear and Minton's took two from Princess Anne Florist.

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Bank of Commerce Entertains 150 at Annual Oyster Roast

The National Bank of Commerce, of Norfolk, entertained about 150 guests at its annual oyster roast on Saturday afternoon, January 18, at the Cavalier Yacht and Country Club.

Out-of-town correspondent bankers and out-of-town accounts made up the guest list.

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Applicants are requested to submit requests for duty at least 15 days prior to the date they wish to report. All applications are subject to approval by the Chief of the Counter Intelligence Corps. Further information may be obtained from the Organized Reserve Headquarters at 2906 West Clay Street, Richmond, Va.

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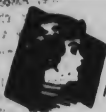
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BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Lowmy, of Norfolk announce the birth of a son, Richard, Jr., on January 8.

MRS. ROBERTS ENTERTAINS FOR COL. MRS. WATERS

Mrs. Marguerite Roberts entertained Sunday afternoon at her home on 71st Street at a cocktail party in honor of Col. and Mrs. John Waters, who will leave soon for West Point, N. Y., where Col. Waters will be assistant commandant of the U. S. Military Academy.

MRS. VAL MORGAN ENTERTAINS

Mrs. Val Morgan entertained Thursday evening at her home on 22nd Street at a bridge party in honor of Mrs. Walter C. Robey, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Caulfield, on 75th Street. Her guests were Mrs. L. O. Clark, Jr., Mrs. John Flook, Mrs. Charles Ford, Mrs. J. Goodenow Tyler, Jr., Mrs. J. Marvin Wolf, Mrs. B. M. Stanton and Mrs. James Kelley.

NEW ARRIVALS ENTERTAINED

Leut. (jg) and Mrs. Walter C. Robey entertained Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. V. Caulfield, on 75th Street, at a cocktail party in honor of Leut. and Mrs. John Flook, who have recently arrived from Monterey, Calif., to make their home at the Beach. The guests included numbered about twenty.

MISS ROBINSON ELECTED MEMBER OF MAY COURT

Miss Jane Robinson, of Virginia Beach, has been elected a member of the May Court by the senior class at Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia. May Day festivities will be held May 7.

Miss Sarah Wilson left Wednesday to visit Mrs. Viola Groves at her home in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton G. Saunders left Wednesday to visit friends in Philadelphia, Pa.

Mrs. Edgar Trant and Mrs. Henry Bowden will return today to Norfolk after spending a few days with Mrs. Trant's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Roberts, at their home in Rude Heights.

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MRS. MARION ATTENDING MEETING IN RICHMOND

Mrs. George C. Manson, president of the Woman's Club of Princess Anne County, is in Richmond where she is attending the annual Board of Directors meeting of the Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. English, of Churchland, Va., announce the birth of a son, John Carl English, on January 8, 1940, weighing nine pounds and one ounce.

Mrs. Woodbury Seaman and young son, and Mrs. Otto Seaman and son, left Thursday to visit Mrs. Vivian Hodgson, in Lake Worth, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Duch have returned to their home in Lincolnton Park after attending the marriage of Mr. Duch's daughter, Miss Mary Winslow Duch, and Leut. Charles J. Brewer, which took place Saturday evening in Fredericksburg, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Tucker and Miss Kirkland Tucker left Tuesday to spend some time with Mrs. Tucker's mother, Mrs. Kirkland Tuffin, at her home in Norfolk. Mr. and Mrs. Tucker will leave the first of February to visit Mr. Tucker's brother, Richard Tucker, in Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mrs. F. Nelson Bolton returned this week to Baltimore, Md., after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd Royner at their home in Cavalier Park.

Leut. Walter Robey, who has been spending some time with Mrs. Robey and young son at the home of Mrs. Robey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Caulfield, left Monday for Quantico Point, R. I., where he will be on duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Smith have moved from Cavalier Shores to the Leeward Apartments on 53rd Street.

Mrs. Frank Kessler and Mrs. Helen M. Thompson, of Wycombe, Pa., who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Hill Sloane, on Avenue B, have left to spend several months in Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Doss and young daughter have returned to their home in Washington, D. C., after spending the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Doss, on 53th Street.

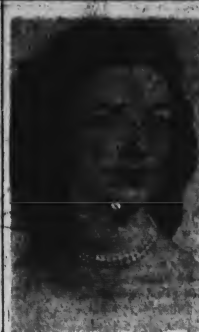
Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett left Wednesday to spend a few days in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lyle and son, Joe Lyle, Jr., are spending some time in New Orleans, La., and Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spear, Jr., and family have moved from Cavalier Shores to their new home on 52nd Street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Darden left Tuesday to spend some time in Ragnoke, Va.

Miss Alice Cole has returned to Waymont, Va., after spending the week-end with her niece, Mrs. James A. Kelley, and Mr. Kelley, at their home on Lake Holly.



ENGAGED—The betrothal of Miss Alice Harvey Sale, of Virginia Beach, to William Hugh Hyland, of Philadelphia, has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Edward Sale. The wedding will take place in February at Virginia Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. James V. Doss and son, Thomas Doss, have moved from Richmond and are residing on 34th Street.

Mrs. E. J. Pullen and children, Georgia and Charles, of Cosumano, Calif., are visiting Mrs. Pullen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Roberts, at their home on Bird Neck Point.

Mrs. Hale Jennings has returned to her home on 54th Street after visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. James Roundtree, in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. J. D. W. Canessa and son, Johnny, have returned to their home on 18 Street after spending the week-end with relatives in Hahna, N. C.

Mrs. Vivian Hodgson left Wednesday to spend some time in Lake Worth, Fla. She was accompanied by Mrs. Edith Lamphier, who will be her guest.

Leut. and Mrs. John Flook have arrived from Monterey, California, and are residing at the Chalfield Cottage on High Point Avenue.



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Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Numb, II, announce the birth of a daughter, Lynne McCarty, on Saturday, January 19, at Leigh Memorial Hospital in Norfolk.

Miss Josephine Wrenn has returned to her home in Norfolk after spending the week-end with Mrs. Rosalie Held in Lincolnton Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bellum will depart Friday from New York for a cruise to South America.

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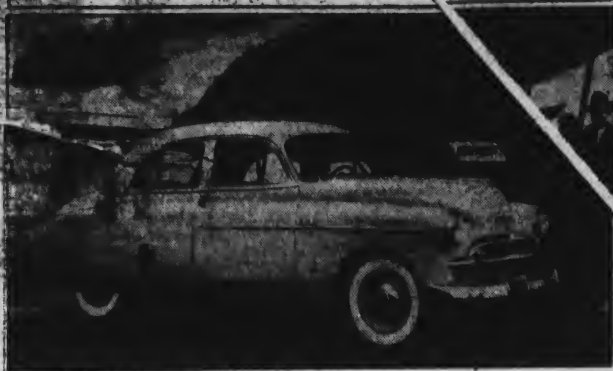
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Clark Chevrolet Plans Preview Showing of 1949 Cars Saturday

Chevrolet's 1949 passenger cars, completely restyled and possessing more mechanical improvements than any model with recent years, go on display at Clark Chevrolet Corporation here Saturday, January 22.

The automobile is the product of three years of engineering research and design development.

Begin immediately after V-J Day, experimental work has included 1,000,000 miles of test driving over the roads of the General Motors Proving Ground and arid highways of the southwest.

The local showing will be held simultaneously with displays in other cities and is expected to draw one of the biggest crowds in the history of events of its kind.

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Local VFW Auxiliary To Be Guests of the Ocean View Post

The Veterans of Foreign Wars Ladies Auxiliary Post No. 7100 will be the guests of the V. F. W. Ladies Auxiliary of Ocean View Post 3160 on Tuesday evening, January 25, at the Ocean View Post Home. A special program will be presented in their honor.

Three new members of the auxiliary were installed at a special called meeting last night. They were Mrs. Eva Herron, Mrs. Helen Struncius, and Mrs. W. S. Wells. The Town and the Chamber of



MRS. M. A. MCMENAMIN
—Photo by Shannon.

Plans Completed For Woman's Club Party, Fashion Show

Final plans for the Princess Anne Woman's Club Fashion Show and Card Party were announced this week by Mrs. M. A. McMenamin, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee of the club. Proceeds from the event will be used for charitable and civic purposes.

The event will be held in the Panorama Room of the Cavalier Beach Club on February 23. Card games will begin at 2 p.m. and last to 4 p.m., according to the announcement, and guests may play any game they choose. They are to bring their own cards and score cards. The fashion show is to begin at 4 p.m., and will last until 5 o'clock. It will be put on by local's Fashion Corner. Models will range in size from 6 years to size 44, Mrs. McMenamin said.

Mrs. Joseph H. Proudfoot, III, is chairman of childrens models, and Mrs. Wallace Clark is chairman of adult models.

Many prizes have been donated by members of the club, and they include, among others, a Smithfield ham, African violets, silver earrings, and antiques.

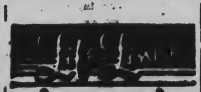
Mrs. Sidney Kellam and Mrs. Lewis Thron are co-chairmen of prizes, assisted by Mrs. Guy W. Camp, Mrs. W. W. McClellan, Mrs. Edward J. Carr, and Mrs. Frank Cox.

Mrs. A. Stanley Mundy and Mrs. George T. Mullen are co-chairmen of the tickets committee. Mrs. James G. Kontopanos is chairman of raffles, with a committee composed of Mrs. Frank Kellam, Mrs. Kermit Land, Mrs. W. H. Meredith, and Mrs. Maude Jeter.

Mrs. Meredith is chairman of the supplies committee, assisted by Mrs. John Hatch, Mrs. Richard Kellam, Mrs. W. W. Pritchard, Mrs. Robert Ingram, Mrs. C. P. Spence, Mrs. P. E. Haddock, Mrs. D. Coleman Carr, Mrs. E. Tomko, and Mrs. John Bell.

Mrs. W. C. Everett and Mrs. C. C. Hudgins are co-chairmen of publicity, and Mrs. George C. Hanson, president of the club, is chairman of hostesses.

Commerce have loaned the Auxiliary the building located at 15th and Arctic, formerly occupied by the Chamber of Commerce, for a temporary club house.



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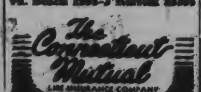
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Cast Announced for 'Junior Miss'

The Reading and Casting Committee of the Little Theatre of Virginia Beach announced that the cast has been selected for the forthcoming production of "Junior Miss." The play will be presented at the Community House on February 19-20.

The cast is as follows:

Grace Graves: Jane McChesney; Harry Graves: Harry McChesney; Judy Graves: Judy McChesney; Lois Graves: Martha Woodhouse; Hilda: Bonnie Pidgeon; J. B. Curtis: Samuel C. Fiske, Jr.; Ellen Curtis: Dorothy Scarce; Willie Reynolds: Paul Maugh; Betty Adams: Joan Faw; Miriam Adams: David Pidgeon; Haskell Cummings: Bode Baum; Western Union Boy: Donny Olesby; Merrill Furbach: Arthur Davis; Sterling Brown: Herman Staats; Albert Kenody: Cassius Kins; Tommy Arbuckle: Bobby Bell.

Brownies Entertain Girl Scouts

Troop 218, Brownie Scouts, entertained 25 girls from Troop 30 of the Girl Scouts last week on the occasion of the "flying up" of four of their number. The four Brownies who had passed their tenth birthday, and hence were eligible to "fly up" to the Girl Scout Troop were Ann Pennington, Vickie George, Linda Hearne, and Marjorie Johnson.

The entertainment was held at the Parish House of the Episcopal Church, regular meeting place of the troop. Lemonade and cookies were served by three of the mothers, Mrs. Wiley Harrell, Mrs. Ann Pennington, and Mrs. Champe Hearne.

Other guests were Mrs. Gerould Rumble, executive chairman of Princess Anne Girl Scouts, Miss Eva May Nee, executive secretary, Princess Anne Girl Scouts, and Mrs. David Pender, neighborhood chairman.

Supper Meeting of Presbyterian Men's Club Wednesday

The regular supper meeting of the Presbyterian Men's Club will be held Wednesday, January 26, at the Presbyterian Church. The time is 7 p.m.

W. F. Kellam, program chairman, announces that the program will consist of motion pictures of the 1948 world series baseball games.

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New Auxiliary of Galilee Church Being Organized

An organization is being formed for a new circle of the Women's Auxiliary of the Galilee Episcopal Church. It will be organized by the pastor, Rev. Dr. J. B. Curtis, who presides over the church.

A. B. Taylor will be guest speaker at Monday night's session.

The two main purposes in organizing the new circle of the Auxiliary were stated as (1) to afford an opportunity to business and professional women, or mothers of small children, who are unable to attend regular Auxiliary meetings, to take a share in the church's work, and (2) to learn more about the church and about the Bible.

It is planned to meet twice monthly, with one meeting devoted to Bible study, the other a business session followed by brief talks by church leaders.

About once in three months, it is hoped to have a supper meeting of members.

Plans for Second 'Follies' Underway

The Junior Woman's Club has begun preliminary plans and preparations for its second annual "Follies," to be presented in March. Much of the initial spade-work is being undertaken now, and committee chairmen are lining up their committees to have many details out of the way before the arrival next month of the director.

"First of the committees to start functioning is the program committee, according to Mrs. A. T. Moore, publicity chairman for the event.

There is no such thing as a permanent highway. Even a concrete road wears out in about 25 years.

Puppet Show at Ocean View School January 28

A puppet play will be presented at the Ocean View School on January 28.

The puppet play will be presented at the Ocean View School on January 28. The children of the school will be the stars of the show.

According to Mrs. Charles Forster, Jr., the only puppeteer in the area, the children will find a huge attraction in watching the antics of the puppets.

Performances will be in the Willoughby T. Cooke School auditorium, the first immediately after school at 2:30 p.m., the second so that parents may attend at 8:00 p.m.

Tickets may be purchased in advance. They will be on sale at Shelly's and J. B. Curtis' on 30th Street, or they may be purchased from school children, Mrs. Forster said.

The puppet play "Pinocchio" is the first of a series of puppet plays presented at the school. It is a miniature re-creation of the famous story, and "one of the most delectable examples of puppet manipulation."

"Pinocchio" features a cast of jolly puppets, including the lovable Jiminy Glick, the villainous coachman, the cat and the fox, and a wonderfully jointed donkey. The whole is set in an underwater scene effected by means of a mysterious "black lighting," which gives a magic and phosphorescent gleam to the creatures of the sea.

Shelly's Basketball Team Wins from Seaboard 38-5

Shelly's Girls basketball team won its first start in the Portsmouth YMCA Basketball League Tuesday night, turning back the Seaboard team 38 to 5. Tillie Mahon led the Seaboard team with 10 points; E. Pender was next with 8.

Captain Lewis Trimmer and the guards were a fine defensive team.

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2. We now have information from an official source that the Richmond TELEVISION station, which is now broadcasting with an output of 750 watts, will increase its power to 10,000 watts this month.

3. Unofficial reports from other parts of the country stating that reception had been received from distances of up to 100 miles, give us reasonable assurance that fairly consistent reception may be expected from the Richmond station when their wattage is increased.

4. Several local stations have already been licensed by the Federal Communications Commission and current rumors are that broadcasts of local programs will be commenced in the near future.

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Tuberculosis Ann. Thanks People for Success of Seal Sale

A resolution of appreciation to the people of Princess Anne County for their fine support of the 1948 Christmas Seal Sale was unanimously adopted by the Board of Directors of the Princess Anne Tuberculosis Association on Thursday, January 13, at the Virginia Beach Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. E. M. Hardy, president of the association, announced at the same time that a total of \$4,987.76 had been realized to date since the opening of the Seal Sale on November 22. There are still a number of county residents to be heard from, she added, many of whom have overlooked their Seal Sale letters in the holiday rush.

"We are grateful, not only for the prompt and generous response of the people, but also for the unmistakable indication that they want the services of the Princess Anne Tuberculosis Association to continue," said Mrs. Hardy. "The association is organized and functions for the health of the people. Residents of this community obviously understand the importance of its various projects. These Seal Sale funds will be used to promote the association's 1949 program, a program designed to fight tuberculosis in this community and eventually eradicate it here."

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Summer Theatre Here Still Seen As Possibility

Corporation to be Formed to Operate Local Venture

Prospects for a summer theatre at Virginia Beach were brightened this week when it was revealed that Edmund Hewitt, vice president of the National Repertory Theatre, Inc., just formed in Washington, has been in the area for some weeks making preliminary plans. On Monday, he announced that the formation of a corporation to operate the Virginia Beach venture will be completed shortly.

Location of the theatre and other details will be announced in the near future, Mr. Hewitt said. It is planned to bring well known stars here to appear with professional supporting actors and a selected group of local student performers in a variety of plays, with changes every week.

Mr. Hewitt studied in New York at the American Academy of Dramatic Arts and American Theater Wing. His career was interrupted by the war, in which he served as a paratrooper. Returning to the New York stage after his discharge, he played in several Broadway shows, sang in clubs and at hotels and played more small movie parts. His film experience included a bit in "Naked City," his last stage appearance was in the chorus of Marc Blitzstein's musical, "The Cradle Will Rock."

He is married and the father of a 15-month-old daughter. With his family he is residing at Virginia Beach.

Children's Art Work To Be Exhibited

During the first week of February, an exhibition of the work of children artists in Virginia Beach and Princess Anne County will be shown at the Virginia Beach Decorating Company, Atlantic Avenue, between 22nd and 23rd.

Details of the showing, along with time, and a list of the judges will be announced at a later date by John F. Roberts, owner of the decorating company.



WINN SCOUTING'S HIGHEST HONOR—Herbert W. Chaffee is shown as he was presented the Silver Beaver by Le Jerome Taylor. The presentation was made at a meeting of the Tidewater Council held at Portsmouth Tuesday night.

H. W. CHAFFEE

(Continued from Front Page)

roundtable discussions, and (3) to step up the activities program bearing in mind the interests of the boys in the council.

W. W. Johnson, member of the Tidewater Council, was also present at the meeting.

In making the award to Mr. Chaffee, Mr. Taylor said that it is the first time the Silver Beaver has been awarded to a resident of Princess Anne County.

Mr. Taylor pointed to Mr. Chaffee's long record of devoted service to youth the world over and to his many and varied community interests. He was the organizer of the first American high school in Paris, France, where he

served with the YMCA. He was also founder of the first Boy Scout troop in Paris, and did distinguished youth service throughout Europe.

In Cuba, he was extremely active in Hi Y work among school children.

He has been affiliated with the Tidewater Scout Council since its early days. He is past president of the Virginia Beach Rotary Club, past chairman of the Princess Anne County Community Chest, and still serves on its board of directors. He is chairman of the Princess Anne County Chapter of the American Red Cross, president of the Princess Anne County District Scout Committee. He is a member of the Methodist Church, and resides at Eastmere Farm, Virginia Beach.

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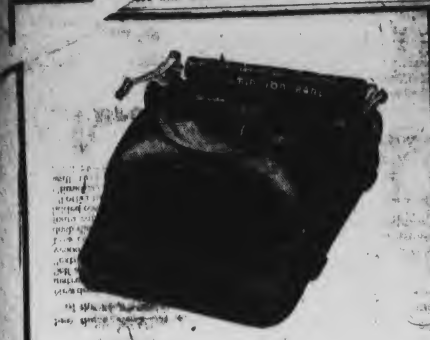
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VFW Post Plans New Home

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post here broke ground for a new post home, which is located on 14th Street and Oak Avenue. The new structure will be a two-story affair housing the ritual room of the post. The members plan to do all of the work on their new club house themselves, with Joe Osborne, Jr., supervising the construction.



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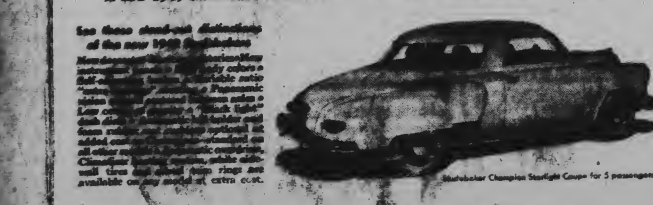


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New 1949 Studebaker passenger car models have been put on display at Brooks-Shorter Motor Company, 17th Street.

A long list of improvements in the new Studebakers is high lights of an interior luxury which in its make-a-touch produce an effect in keeping with the best in home decoration, according to C. S. Shorter.

Mr. Shorter pointed out that in some models the seat backs and cushions are in different and harmonizing patterns, set off by striking two-tone contrasts between upholstery and the side walls and head-liners. In addition, he said, there is a notable stepping up in the performance of both the Champion and Commander engines.

As he pointed to the features of the 1949 Studebaker models, Mr. Shorter issued a general invitation to the residents of this area to visit his showroom for an inspection of the cars as well as to obtain an explanation of the latest improvements.

Among other changes, he pointed to increased luggage space in the trunk, massive redesigned wrap-around bumpers and a parking brake with a push-button release to guard against accidental releasing of the brake.

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Rotarians View Sports Films

Sports minded Virginia Beach Rotarians had a "field day" at last week's meeting held at the Pine Tree Inn. The program consisted of a series of sports films loaned to the club by Jack Golden, Virginia Beach hotel operator.

Included in the 40-minute film were pictures of the major championship boxing bouts during the past 25 years, swimming and diving films, and the fundamentals of good golf.

James Kontopoulos, club secretary, reported that the club enjoyed an unusually high (66 per cent) attendance for the month of December.

Family Worship Day Sunday at Oceana

Sunday, January 23, will be observed as family worship day at the Oceana Methodist Church, according to an announcement by the pastor, Rev. I. L. Llewellyn. Families will be seated together in family pews, and recognition will be given those families with every resident member present. Care for infants will be provided in the nursery room.

Allen W. Willett Recovering

Allen W. Willett, a life-long resident of Princess Anne County, and one of the judges of the Electoral Board of Cape Henry, is making a quick recovery in the home of his sister, Mrs. Anna Broughton, of 725 Boissevain Avenue, Norfolk. It is expected he will resume his duties at Virginia Beach after Easter. He will gladly receive visitors at his Norfolk address.

Tides and Sun

THE CALENDAR FOR VIRGINIA BEACH AND CAPE HENRY
(Reported by U. S. Weather Bureau, Cape Henry)

Date	High	Low
Jan. 21 a.m.	1:57	7:26
Jan. 21 p.m.	1:26	7:42
Jan. 22 a.m.	2:49	8:26
Jan. 22 p.m.	2:28	8:41
Jan. 23 a.m.	3:15	9:06
Jan. 23 p.m.	3:23	9:44
Jan. 24 a.m.	4:18	10:51
Jan. 24 p.m.	4:24	10:43
Jan. 25 a.m.	5:17	11:51
Jan. 25 p.m.	5:23	11:40
Jan. 26 a.m.	6:11	
Jan. 26 p.m.	6:27	12:41
Jan. 27 a.m.	6:56	12:31
Jan. 27 p.m.	7:15	1:26

Days of Week	Sun	Mon
Friday	7:14	5:17
Saturday	7:14	5:18
Sunday	7:15	5:19
Monday	7:15	5:20
Tuesday	7:12	5:21
Wednesday	7:11	5:22
Thursday	7:11	5:23

To obtain tides of high or low water from above times: Lynchburg River, add 20 minutes; Ocean View, add 40 minutes; Old Point, add 45 minutes; Ocean City, subtract 45 minutes.

Officers Installed By Daughters of America Council 8

Virginia Beach Council No. 8 Daughters of America installed officers for the year at its regular meeting Tuesday night at the Methodist Church.

Elizabeth Twissdale was elected to serve a second term as councilor. Others elected were Ruth Mansur, associate councilor; Edna Woodhouse, associate junior past councilor; Betty Garrett, junior past councilor; Fanny McClanahan, associate vice councilor; Mamie

Wood, Warden; Lillian Whitehead, conductor; Margaret Hunt, associate recording secretary; Shirley Cobb, musician; Beulah Neuman, outside secretary; Marjorie Macken, inside secretary; and Elsie Markie, service team captain.

At the close of new business, Elizabeth Twissdale presented a past councilor's pin. An associate councilor's pin was presented to Edna Woodhouse.

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Reports Heard at Annual Dinner Meeting of Red Cross Chapter

Chaffee Renamed Chairman of the County Chapter

Russell Hatchett has been named chairman of the American Red Cross Fund Drive, it was announced yesterday. The county drive begins March 1 and ends March 31. The 1949 goal has been set at approximately \$5,000.

H. W. Chaffee was renamed chairman of the Princess Anne County Chapter of the American Red Cross for 1949, to serve in that capacity for the tenth consecutive year.

Other members of the chapter's executive committee, named at the annual dinner meeting at Oceana School on January 25, were: Carroll Bounds, vice chairman; Mrs. W. R. Ashburn, secretary; and James Kontopanos, treasurer. Added to the board of directors were Dr. D. O. Todd, Mrs. R. L. Gambill, E. W. Smith, Jr., Sidney Kellam, Albin Mathies, and Mrs. K. C. Johnson.

The annual financial report showed that the operating budget for the year past was \$14,235.40, with an estimated budget for 1949 of \$16,387.20. The finance campaign goal of the chapter for the coming year has not as yet been set by the National Red Cross. However, it is estimated that it will be in the vicinity of \$7,000.

Reports were made by the various services. Mrs. K. C. Johnson, chairman of volunteer services, reported that 36 volunteers gave 497 hours. Children's garments, solution sheets for the local hospital, and 200 Christmas stockings for the Portsmouth Naval Hospital were made. In addition, 21,925 surgical dressings were made for the dispensary at the Naval Air Station.

Mrs. Frank Smith reported that the year had been a busy one for the motor corps, which has cooperated with the health department and the department of public health.

Committees to Meet To Make Plans for Lions Convention

Committees of the Lions Club will meet February 5 with the District Governor, Otto Ballance of Ocean View, to plan the State Convention which will be held at Virginia Beach in June. It was learned today. The local group will be headed by William W. Johnson, general convention chairman.

Approximately 1,500 Lions from clubs throughout Virginia are expected at the State Convention, the first held at the Beach since 1941.

Four new members were inducted into the club at its meeting on Monday by past-President Horace Simmons. They were Lynn Kennerly, F. E. McMillan, Milton Perrell, and Commander J. R. Compton, executive officer at Oceana Naval Air Station.

\$30,000 Parish Hall To Be Built By Star of the Sea

Ground was broken this week for the \$30,000 parish hall, which will be built immediately back of the Star of the Sea Catholic Church. Rev. Philip Brennan, priest of the parish, said that the building, which will be of brick and steel construction, and entirely fireproof, will be suitable for the overflow crowd at mass during the peak summer season and for all parish activities. There will also be a room for the visiting priest.

The contract has been let to Conrad Brothers Contractors, and was designed by Arthur E. Conrad after plans suggested by the Most Rev. Peter L. Irwin and Monsignor Joseph F. Gornert, the dean of this area.

County Officials, Residents Fight US-58 Construction

Officials of Town Go on Record as Favoring Road Plan

The feeder road controversy came to a boil at an open meeting held Wednesday at Princess Anne County House when General James A. Anderson, State Highway Commissioner, met with delegations of property owners and business men opposing the construction of the modern, limited access type highway now being built between Norfolk and Virginia Beach. Also heard from were officials of Princess Anne County, in opposition to the proposed road, and officials of the Town of Virginia Beach, favoring it.

Gen. Anderson promised to give thought to the request of property owners along the highway to abandon the controlled access features of the new boulevard pending completion of a comprehensive survey to determine the potential damage to abutting property and business interests.

Willard R. Ashburn, counsel for the petitioners opposing the access type of construction, made the request, declaring that his clients would be satisfied if the highway department confined boulevard improvements to a four-lane divided highway.

Gen. Anderson and other highway officials marshaled facts to prove that the proposed highway type was the most modern and safest type possible to construct, and pointed out that the record of accidents on this highway, said by one to be the highest in the state, warranted the addition of safety features such as those provided by the feeder type of construction.

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Little Theatre Group Plans "Open House" Friday, February 4

The Little Theatre of Virginia Beach will hold "open house" at the Jefferson Hotel on Friday, February 4, at 8 p.m. The board of directors extends a cordial invitation to every man, woman, or young person in the community, who is interested in Little Theatre work, to attend.

H-D Leader Training Session Today

A Home Demonstration Club Leader Training session will be held today in Virginia Beach with food projects leaders of Princess Anne County's nine clubs in attendance. The subject will be "Foods."

Miss Janet Cameron, State food nutrition specialist, will assist Miss Jane Craig, home agent, at the meeting.



STAR—Pinocchio, star of the puppet performance sponsored by the W. T. Cooke School P. T. A., for two performances today, at 2:30 and 8:00 p.m. Tickets are available still at Shelby's, and the school children, and at the news office.



RE-ELECTED—H. W. Chaffee was re-elected to serve as chairman of the Princess Anne County Chapter of the American Red Cross, for his tenth consecutive term of office in that position. Shown with Mr. Chaffee (third from left, standing) are other officials of the chapter. They are, from front, Miss Pearl Dady, executive secretary; Mrs. W. R. Ashburn, secretary; and Mrs. R. L. Gambill, member of the Board of Directors. Standing with Mr. Chaffee are Russell Hatchett, fund chairman; James Kontopanos, treasurer; and Dr. D. O. Todd, member of the Board of Directors.

Vegetable Marketing Plant Being Planned at Industrial Center

A wholesale produce market, potentially one of the largest in the south and one which will compete with the Philadelphia and Baltimore markets, will be established at the site of the McGinnis Industrial Center if plans formulated at a meeting of farmers, wholesalers, and the industrial group last night in Norfolk are realized.

The group chose a committee of nine members, three representatives from the farmers, three from the wholesalers, and three from the McGinnis Industrial Center, to study steps to form a wholesale produce market and to report back its findings. A resolution adopted by the group pointed out that it was its considered opinion that the establishment of the market was of prime interest to farmers and wholesalers over the

whole area that the market be established. Moreover, they believed that the site chosen, situated as it is on the North-South route of traffic, and adjacent to railroad facilities, was ideal for the needs of both farmers and wholesalers.

Grayson Whitehurst, of the Princess Anne County Farm Bureau, said that in his opinion the project would draw a market never dreamed of, and that he believed that it should go ahead at once.

The committee which will study the steps needed to form the market is composed of Harold Kimmble, Robert Lathan, and Frank Turin, for the McGinnis Industrial Center; Morris Perlin, Tom Spicuzza, and Austin Battaglia, for the wholesalers; and B. M. Wood, B. W. Shelton, and E. W. Calk, for the farmers.

March of Dimes Fund Lagging Far Behind as End of Drive Nears

Princess Anne County and Virginia Beach have a long way to go to make up their \$5,000 goal in the 1949 March of Dimes fund campaign, it was disclosed today. The drive closes January 31.

On Wednesday, with the first tally of funds made public, only \$982.68 had been received in the entire county—less than a fifth of the goal set. This amount, however, did not include \$100 contributed

MARCH OF DIMES BENEFITS
Davis Corner Fire Department, Saturday, January 29, 8 p.m., at Star's Barn, 9 until midnight, \$1.50 per couple. All proceeds will go to the Princess Anne County March of Dimes.

Fort Story Officers Club, January 30, 4 to 7 p.m. Tea Dance for March of Dimes.

Woman's Club of Chesapeake Beach, Saturday, January 29, dance at Lee Manor Hotel, Chesapeake Beach. No admission, but all attending are being asked to contribute to the March of Dimes. Shore Drive Inn, Chesapeake Beach Road and Shore Drive, January 30, tea dance on every dollar taken in will be donated to the March of Dimes.

Contributions from the Ruritan Club, the Lions Club, and the Junior Women's Club, which have been promised but not yet received. Coin boxes, which have been reported to be disappointingly few, will be collected on Tuesday morning or at the close of business on Monday. It is the hope of March of Dimes officials that generous citizens, realizing the vital need for the work of the Infantile Paralysis Foundation, will drop all of their loose change in the coin boxes.

In the meantime, civic organizations

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Town Manager Proposes Tax Cut By One-Half

Plan to Follow the Doubling of Real Estate Assessment

Town Manager Lawrence Lockwood will recommend to the Town Council that the present town real property tax rate be cut in half, and will ask the county to reduce equally the present \$2.50 tax for school purposes to the Town.

This was revealed when he addressed the South Virginia Beach Civic League at its open meeting last Monday on the proposed half million dollar bond issue coming up for referendum on February 15.

Mr. Lockwood was preceded on the platform by Mayor W. F. Patton, who outlined briefly the financial history of the town. The town's assessments have recently gone through the process of equalization, Mr. Lockwood said, and the assessments for tax purposes doubled. With that completed, he continued, he is prepared to ask that the reduction in the present tax rate be accomplished, in an effort to keep the dollar taxes paid at the present level for the average tax payer.

The town tax of \$4.40 per \$100 of assessed value would become \$2.20; if the county accedes to the request to half the school tax, that will become \$1.25 per hundred dollars, and "I see no reason why the county would not cooperate with us in the move," Mr. Lockwood added. There is also a good chance, he believes, that the 60 cent general fund tax, which goes to the county to maintain Virginia Beach's share of court, sheriff, and a similar expense, would not also be reduced somewhat.

Doubling of the assessed valuation of the town, Mr. Lockwood explained, would result in raising the ceiling on bonded indebtedness, allowing for the floating of the bond issue.

He explained that the need in the past to finance capital improvements from current revenues had resulted in a serious financial strain for the town.

Mr. Lockwood asked voters to go to the polls and vote affirmatively on the bond issue.

The meeting was opened by Rev. Robert Davis, of the First Presbyterian Church, and closed by Rev. Philip Brennan, Star of the Sea Catholic Church.

P. A. Stamp Club Reorganized

At a reorganization meeting of the Princess Anne Stamp Club held at the Community House January 19, it was decided to change the name to the Princess Anne Stamp and Coin Club.

All interested coin collectors as well as stamp collectors and all members of the original stamp club are urged to attend the next meeting which will be held at the Community House, 18th Street and Arctic Avenue, Wednesday evening, February 2, at 7:30. A free selection of stamps will be given to all members who are present at this meeting.

Further information may be obtained by contacting Harry R. Holland, Jr., at Virginia Beach 829 or Charles M. Richards, at Virginia Beach 599-W.

District 4-H Club Conference Monday At Petersburg

A district 4-H Club conference will be held in Petersburg on January 31 to discuss plans for the reopening for the 1949 season of the 4-H Club Camp Farm at the north end of Virginia Beach, according to an announcement.

Six additional counties will be added to the seven now interested in maintaining the camp for 4-H Club members.

Supervisors Join Group in Fight For Change of Highway Plans

Initial Contract Let for Work on Ocean Highway

Other Contracts for Million Dollar Project To Be Let Later

The engineering contract for the proposed Ocean Highway from Virginia Beach to Nags Head, N. C., was awarded this week to William F. Freeman, Inc., engineers of High Point, N. C.

The amount of the contract was not made public. A spokesman said, however, that the High Point firm submitted a bid of 5 per cent of the total cost of construction which it is estimated will be approximately one million dollars.

Other engineering bids were submitted by Myron A. Sturgeon, of Norfolk, Philip B. Freeman, of Norfolk, and Thomas B. Bourne Associates, Inc., of Washington.

Award of the contract was made at a Virginia Beach meeting of representatives of the two sponsoring corporations, the Virginia Carolina Coastal Turnpike Corporation and the Carolina-Virginia Toll Road Association.

The road will be 56 miles long and 22 feet wide, built 600 feet from the Atlantic Ocean. Amount of toll to be charged has not been decided.

The spokesman said the High Point engineering firm will begin work in a week or 10 days on location, mapping property lines and making soil tests. This work is expected to require two months. Six weeks after the engineers complete their work, bids for grading and construction will be opened. Two construction contracts will be awarded, each contract for one-half the length of the road.

Incorporators of the two sponsoring groups will hold another meeting at the Cavalier Hotel at Virginia Beach February 23.

Local Decorators to Exhibit Art Work of Children Age 8 to 16

During the period February 1 to February 12, an exhibition of the work of child artists of Virginia Beach and Princess Anne County will be shown at the Virginia Beach Decorative Company, 2204 Atlantic Avenue. All pictures eligible for the prize contest must be in by February 5.

Prizes for the best entries will be awarded on Saturday afternoon, February 12. The judges will be Miss Patch, Frank de Wolf and John F. Roberts. Three artists of color sets will be awarded the winners.

Child art students between the ages of eight and 16 may compete in the contest.

For the benefit of adults who want to see the work of the children during the evening hours, the store will be open until 9 p.m. daily from February 5 to February 11 inclusive.

PUBLIC NOTICE

E. E. Dyer has requested an Army Department permit to construct and operate, during the calendar year 1949, six (6) fish pound structures in the Atlantic Ocean off the shores of Princess Anne County, Va.

The structures would be located as follows: one off 51st Street, and one off 67th Street, Virginia Beach; two off Sand Bridge, Va.; and two off Little Island Canal Guard Station.

The purpose of this notice is to inform all who may be interested. If the proposed structures are considered objectionable from the standpoint of navigation, protests may be submitted to the U. S. Navy, Colonel, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, Norfolk District, Norfolk 1, Va., on or before February 5, 1949.

Veterans to Get Classroom for Agriculture Study

Board Signs New Contract for Street Lighting with Vepco

The Princess Anne County Board of Supervisors on Monday adopted a resolution, addressed to the State Highway Commission, asking that body to abandon plans for the feeder type highway connecting Virginia Beach with Norfolk, and to adopt a simple four-lane system in its place. Action came after a delegation of property owners along the proposed road appeared before the supervisors, and after a group of county officials joined them in their protest. The group described the feeder roads as "worthless," and said that they "would kill business from Norfolk to Virginia Beach."

The resolution adopted by the supervisors declared, in part: "It is the opinion of this Board that the proposed construction of the new highway with the feeder roads as now laid out will do irreparable injury to the property owners adjacent to the highway; and that the proposed plans do not provide proper ingress and egress for vehicles... that it will cause a loss of considerable revenue to the county in taxes on account of property never being utilized for business establishments."

"That a four-lane highway... without the feeder roads, would, in the opinion of this Board, be constructed for less than half the cost of the present proposed road... that a four-lane highway could be built in less than half the time now allotted for construction of the new proposed highway."

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Oceana Cavaliers to Play Suffolk Tonight

Friday evening, January 28, the Cavaliers of Oceana engage the Red Raiders, of Suffolk High School, in a twin basketball game on the Oceana court. The girls' game gets underway at 7 o'clock.

The meeting will bring together two undefeated girls teams and a real battle will be in store for the spectators.

The Suffolk boys have not lost a game in Class Two competition this year and, of course, the Peanut City lads will do all in their power to defend this record.

Coach Taylor plans to start the following five men: Bruce Jones, Billy Carson, Bobby Rice, Ralph Aydtelle and Wilson Johnson.

Tuesday, February 1, Oceana will play host to the Great Bridge team in a double-header on the Oceana court.

Ten Dance at Fort Story for Polio Fund

A March of Dimes Benefit Tea Dance will be given at the Fort Story Officers Club on Sunday, January 30, from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m.

Dough Parker's orchestra has been secured for the event.

Tickets are available through club members, according to the announcement. Proceeds will go to the March of Dimes.

Mrs. East to Speak At Linkhorn Garden Club Meeting

Mrs. J. Frank East, of Norfolk, will be guest speaker at a meeting of the Linkhorn Garden Club to be held Friday, February 4, at 2:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Lowery D. Finley, on 28th Street. Mrs. William Petty Dickson will act as co-hostess.

Members are requested to bring plant arrangements which will be judged by Mrs. Thomas G. Johnson, president of the Gleaner Club, at Norfolk, and Mrs. E. B. Schuchman.

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WE WILL BACK THE BOND ISSUE

The time for the decision of the voters of Virginia Beach on issuing half a million dollars worth of bonds for municipal improvements and repairs is at hand, for there are only a few days more than two weeks until February 15 when residents go to the polls to cast their votes.

And the time to make up your mind how to vote is now. We believe that the bond issue is a good thing—good for not only those people who live or own a business or property on the ocean front affected by the damaged walkway, but also for all Beach residents.

The overcrowding at W. T. Cooke is the concern of every person at the Beach, whether he is the parent of a school child or not. With fourteen classes (two for each grade at the school) there are only eleven classrooms, resulting in the utilization of a corner of the auditorium, of the first aid room, and the teacher's rest room for teaching purposes. Result is that the kind of instruction you want your child to have is in jeopardy.

Only a man blind to every defect could hold that the streets of Virginia Beach are not sadly in need of repair and drainage. There are 33 miles of streets maintained by the town, of which less than half (in this otherwise modern community) are paved. There are 18 miles of dirt streets within the town limits, and that means 18 miles of mud during rainy spells.

So much has been said about the walkway that it is of little use to talk further of the need to repair the damage that has made the ten blocks from 17th Street south very nearly useless. Every man has his own opinion of what should be done, and how it should be done, and when it should be done. But until a better solution comes along, let us move now to preserve the walkway as it is to protect our beach property.

To those critics of the bond issue who ask "Why borrow when we pay the taxes we now do," we point out that our economy is based on just such borrowing. The town is in bad financial straits now simply because since 1937 it has not been able to borrow, and had, therefore, to pay for capital improvements out of current revenues. Repairs, which the town could make only out of current revenue, have snowballed because enough capital was not available to do them properly. It was a case of patch, rather than repair.

It is comparable to the way the average citizen purchases an automobile or a washing machine, or a house, or repairs for his house. Very few of us have enough reserve to lay the cash on the line for those things we buy, so we must go to the bank or the building loan and arrange for financing. And we make periodic payments to pay back the money. We could not under any circumstance buy, say, \$80 worth of automobile parts until the time when we had purchased the whole thing, and then assemble it when we had bought the last screw or bolt.

For the future well being of Virginia Beach, we must act now. The repairs cannot wait, the streets and drainage cannot wait, and the school additions cannot wait.

BUT...

While the News is standing behind the bond issue, we believe that the taxpayers of Virginia Beach should receive definite assurance of exactly how they stand with the town and county on taxes, now that assessed values on real estate have been doubled to allow for the bond issue to be floated legally. (A municipality can float bonds only up to 10 per cent of the assessed valuation of its real property according to law.)

That the doubling of the real estate assessments for tax purposes is an accomplished fact was revealed only this week. It means that when the tax notices go out in September 1949, we will find that our home valued at \$1,000, for instance, for taxation in 1948 will appear on our tax notice at \$2,000 in 1949.

Town Manager Lawrence Lockwood has publicly stated several times that "barring unforeseen contingencies" the dollar amount of our taxes will remain unchanged, or might even be a trifle lower. He has repeated that he will "recommend" to the town council that the present town tax be slashed from \$4.40 per hundred to \$2.30, and that he will "ask" the county to lower its school tax (which all comes back to the town) from \$2.50 to \$1.25. The 60 cent county general fund tax, he declares, stands a "good chance" of being lowered to 50 cents.

We believe that the town council should act at once to lower the rate of taxes in face of the increased assessment; we believe that they should go to the county at once to secure the lowering of the school tax. The people should know, and know now, without waiting for the outcome of the bond issue or for any other reason, exactly what to expect will be their tax rate.

LEGAL NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Agreement entered into on the 25th day of July, 1946, between Ralph C. Morris, party of the first part, and Mildred B. Morris, his wife, which does enable each to dispose of his or her property, whether now owned or hereinafter acquired, and bear each party from any or all claims by way of dower, courtesy, inheritance, dissent, distribution, or in any other way, arising out of said property. Above agreement, entered to record, in Norfolk County Court-house, Book 179, Page 352. Notice is hereby published of intention to sell property designated as No.

202 Twenty-seventh Street in the Town of Virginia Beach, Princess Anne County, State of Virginia. Said property which was conveyed to me by Deed dated March 13, 1946, and recorded March 14, 1946, in Princess Anne Court-house. Acknowledgement is hereby made of lifetime right of P. A. and L. A. Boles to rear forty feet of said property. Said right to be included in transfer of property, unless otherwise specified. Said property subject to Deed of Trust held by National Bank of Commerce, Branch, Virginia Beach, Virginia.

P. W. Ackiss, Trustee, but otherwise unincumbered.

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State of Virginia, Princess Anne

LIFE VS. DOLLARS

The county officials and the members of the County Board of Supervisors apparently consider the almighty dollar of greater importance than the life and limb of its residents and visitors. This was indicated Tuesday afternoon when the State Highway Department Commissioner met with citizens and officials of Princess Anne at the Court House.

The highway department has spent huge amounts to study the problem of highway safety, and their engineers are constantly at work improving the State's highway system. The ever increasing volume of highway users creates a changing safety problem annually, and to meet these changes the highway department finds it necessary to improve or completely change the type of highways now used.

Figures are mounting as to loss of life and property damage on U. S. 58 in Princess Anne County. The State has statistics to prove the nature of the majority of accidents and has designed the LIMITED ACCESS HIGHWAY to help eliminate the causes of far too many accidents. In the past this highway has been widened and widened in attempts to keep abreast of the changing conditions. The volume of traffic and the increasing accident rate indicates redesign is now the answer. The question should be relocation of U. S. 58, or a limited access highway along the present route.

The State Highway Commission, with no personal feeling in the matter, has decided to replace the existing U. S. 58 with a limited access highway employing the "feeder road" as a control, as against the relocation of the highway—a decision in favor of the majority of business establishments now located on this route.

The only complaint voiced against this type of highway is a personal monetary evaluation made by the property owners and residents along the highway—and they ask the county officials and the State to choose dollars against loss of life and limb.

RED CROSS

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lic welfare in transportation of patients to and from hospitals and clinics, as well as the usual calls for chapter assistance. There were 25 volunteer workers in the motor service.

Two classes in nutrition were taught by Mrs. H. W. Woolf, according to the report of Mrs. Ralph Midgett, nutrition service chairman. She reported that 66 girls at Creeds High School and 18 girls from the Princess Anne Training School, Negro high school, received certificates.

Mrs. Frank Avert, chairman for first aid services, said that in January, 1948, 20 Junior Red Cross members received certificates at the W. T. Cooke School. A class is now being taught to Boy Scouts and Brownies.

Mrs. Frank Boush reported that the Junior Red Cross is the largest of all youth organizations with 100 per cent enrollment from all schools, both public and private. A percentage of the amount of enrollment revenue is kept within the chapter to carry on local projects. A small per cent of the enrollment goes to the Red Cross National Headquarters for the National Children's Fund for overseas relief.

Twenty-eight Gray Ladies have served at the Portsmouth Naval Hospital and the Little Creek Dis-

pensary, according to the report of Mrs. David F. Barnum, hospital and recreation corps.

Reporting on the blood program, Dr. D. O. Todd said that this is a new service of the Red Cross. The goal of the National Blood Program is to provide sufficient blood and blood derivatives, without charge for the products, to help save lives and prevent needless suffering throughout the nation.

In embarking on this program, the Red Cross will work in closest relationship with the medical profession, with hospitals, and with the duly constituted health authorities from the national level to the community level hospitals will play an important role for it is in the hospitals of the country that much of the blood and blood derivatives will be used.

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Mrs. Maxie C. White Dies January 10

Mrs. Maxie C. White, 78, widow of A. D. White, Colerain, N. C., died at Virginia Beach January 10 after an illness of two months.

The survivors are two sisters, Mrs. J. W. Modlin, Virginia Beach, and Mrs. Mary L. Britton, Ocean View; a son-in-law, Dr. R. A. Klar; a grand-daughter, Mrs. Martha Chubb, both of San Jose, California; another grand-daughter, Mrs. Anna Pearl Robbins, of St. Louis, Mo.; three great-grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

She was a member of Ocean View Baptist Church.

Funeral services for Mrs. White were conducted in Colerain Baptist Church by Rev. Andrew Colthorpe, on Tuesday. He was assisted by the pastor of the Colerain Baptist Church. Burial was

in the church cemetery. her Sunday School class at the Fall bearers were members of time she lived in Colerain.

the continuing support and energetic cooperation of all the American people that blood must be obtained to insure the success of this program.

There is full understanding that the program must grow with experience, that some phases may be temporary, that it is a long-range undertaking. Many changes in procedures and techniques may be necessary to attain perfection.

The program can be considered only as a growing one and that will require time, constant vigilance, and unceasing efforts before its full benefits can be assured to all the people of America.

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SUPERVISORS

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The resolution of the board further pointed out that the costs of rights-of-way for the present type of road being constructed were excessive.

Already feeder roads have been constructed along the boulevard from the intersection with United States Highway 13 to the railroad overpass. A contract has been let for 1.6 more miles.

County officials who joined the delegation of property owners in requesting board action included Sidney S. Kellam, Treasurer; W. F. Hudgins, Clerk of the Court; Russell Hatchett, Commissioner of Revenue; D. J. Vaughn, Sheriff, and P. W. Ackiss, Commonwealth's Attorney.

Copies of the resolution will be sent to Harry B. Davis, member of the House of Delegates from the county, and Ben T. Gunter of Accomack, State Senator, as well as to the Highway Commission.

Veterans' Classroom Asked

The board of supervisors appropriated \$9,500 toward the construction of a building to be used as a veterans' training class in agriculture under M. G. Bright told them that facilities at Creeds High School now being used for this purpose were inadequate. Mr. Bright told the board that he understood the Federal government would provide \$1,000 toward such a building.

Under a new contract signed by the board with the Virginia Electric and Power Company, the county will get a reduction in the cost of street lighting. Retroactive to January 1, the county will pay \$18 for each of its 90 street lights. Heretofore the rate has been \$20 for some and \$25 for others. The contract set a charge for the water pumping system of two cents a kilowatt hour during the day and one cent for night pumping.

The board received notification that the Railway Express Company had applied to the State Corporation Commission for permission to close its offices at Princess Anne, giving as its reason the abandonment of railroad service on the Euclid-Back Bay line of the Norfolk Southern, and the fact that there were only two stores served in the section.

CO. OFFICIALS

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They produced figures showing that during 1942 and 1943 there were 363 accidents of record, 18 deaths, 183 persons injured and property damage totaling \$110,000 on the Virginia Beach boulevard. Construction of the four-lane road, embracing the controlled access features, got underway early in 1943.

W. F. Hudgins, clerk of the circuit court, declared that he and all other officials of the county and the Board of Supervisors were in opposition to the construction of the feeder roads, and were unanimous in their desire to protect property values along the boulevard.

P. W. Ackiss, who presented the case for the opposition, introduced statements from property owners to prove that property damage and business loss would result from their being cut off from access to the main highway. W. B. Shafer maintained that property damage would range up to a million dollars. Operators of filling stations, tourist camps, and other businesses asserted that business had dropped off in alarming proportions along that section of the road already completed.

The opposing delegates also maintained that accidents had increased along the same section with the feeder roads in operation.

Carroll Bounds, Virginia Beach's town engineer, said that in designing the highway two alternative routes had been studied, one of which would have followed the right-of-way of the Norfolk Southern railroad and would have by-passed the area completely.

Also introduced in favor of the construction was a letter from John B. Dey, vice president of the Tidewater Automobile Association.

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MARCH OF DIMES

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ations in the county are getting back of the drive in a last-minute effort to push it over the top. The Davis Corner Volunteer Fire Department came forward with an offer to turn over all of the proceeds of their Saturday night dance, at Marr's Barn, to the March of Dimes, funds which ordinarily go toward their operating expenses. "We can think of no worthier cause than the March of Dimes," they said, "and we want to do what we can to help."

Another dance scheduled for Saturday night is that of the Chesapeake Beach Woman's Club at the Lee Manor Hotel, where no admission will be charged, but contributions accepted for the fund.

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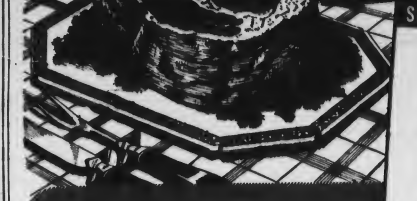
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Mrs. Curtis Burnley Railing will entertain Sunday, January 30th, at the Ghent Hotel in Norfolk, at a studio tea where she and her pupils will be heard. The pupils appearing will be Misses Nancy Morrisette, Ann Hinton, Harriet Jones, Carol Ann Carden, Betty Griggs, Mary Simpson and Mrs. Reeves and Mrs. Peay. Mrs. Railing is the author of most of her sketches and was the first one-woman theatre in New York before Ruth Draper.

Mrs. Robert E. Clapper, of Laceyville, Pa., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Nicholson, at their home on 40th Street.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Woodley, III, announce the birth of a daughter, Margaret Pretlow, on Saturday, January 22nd, at Leigh Memorial Hospital in Norfolk.

Mrs. Woodley is the former Miss Caroline de Witt Mr. and Mrs. Woodley make their home at Courtland, Va.

Comdr. Edward Mason, of the Philadelphia Navy Yard, spent last week-end with his mother, Mrs. Belle Harvey Mason, at her home on 55th Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Peyton May left yesterday for the Madeira School, Fairfax County, Va., where they will be joined by their daughter, Miss Ann May, and with her spend some time in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Hix left the first of the week to spend a few days with the latter's mother, Mrs. John Coke, at her home in Richmond, Va.

Mrs. James Peyton Grimes is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Hemingway, at their home in Norfolk.

Mrs. Bruce Simmons, Mrs. Ruth Williams and Maclin Simmons left Monday to visit Mrs. James Maclin at her home in Chatham, N. J.

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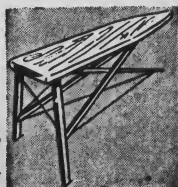
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Mrs. John Blair Pitts, of Fairhaven, Mass., arrived yesterday to visit her daughter-in-law, Mrs. John Blair Pitts, Jr., at her home in Linkhorn Park.

Charles Slingshuff, Jr., John F. Winn, III, Bobby Maser, William Gormley, Franklin Woodhouse, and Jack Gwaltney arrived this week from the University of Virginia to spend some time at their homes.

Mrs. Harry Sessions has returned to her home on Avenue E after spending a few days in Washington, D. C.

E. A. Cunningham and daughter, Miss Aitha Cunningham, have returned to Richmond, Va., after spending several days with Mr. Cunningham's daughter, Mrs. Roland Thorpe, at her home on 78th Street.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Kibler will arrive today from Durham, N. C., to visit Mrs. Kibler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Konegay, at their home on 53rd Street.

Mrs. Walter C. Robey and young son, David Leigh, left Saturday to join Lieut. (jg) Robey in Quonset Point, R. I., after visiting Mrs. Robey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Caulfield, at their home on 75th Street.

Mrs. Berryman Green, of Alexandria, Va., who has been visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robertson Hinkel, in Norfolk, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Willard Ashburn at their home on 52nd Street.

Miss Katherine Wood, debutante, will return to Hollins College, Hollins, Va., Sunday after spending the week-end in Lexington, Va.

Mrs. Herbert Whitehurst has after visiting her sister, Mrs. Rose, returned to Neptune Beach, Fla., after a visit in Linkhorn Park.

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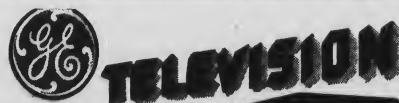


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The service will eliminate two changes—at Petersburg and Richmond—which have been inconvenient to travelers.

Confirmation Classes Begin at Galilee

Junior and adult confirmation classes will be held at Galilee Church for the next three Saturdays, from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m. by Rev. Charles H. Holmead, of Portsmouth. The dates are Saturday, January 29, and February 5 and 12.

Confirmation will be on Sunday, February 13.

The Rev. Mr. Holmead is preaching at Galilee during the next few weeks.

Social

Mr. and Mrs. John Bowler, of Philadelphia, Pa., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hodges at their home on Holly Road.

Col. A. Randolph Holladay, II, of Greenville, Delaware, was the guest this week at "Three Pines," in Linkhorn Park.

J. W. Modlin is confined to his home in the Roland Court apartments due to illness.

Mrs. Robert Cornick has returned to her home in Raleigh, N. C.

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Gardner Harden and Oliver Brown will arrive today from the University of Virginia to spend a

week at their homes.

Mrs. Alfred P. Randolph and Mrs. R. Lawson Miles, Jr., left Wednesday to spend a few days in New York.

Mrs. William F. Dickson has returned to her home on 34th Street after visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Talbot, in Richmond, Va.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Allison, of Emporia, Va., will be the guests this week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Kornegay at their home on 53rd Street.

William Phelan has returned to Lake Forest, Ill., after spending the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Phelan, at their home in Bay Colony.

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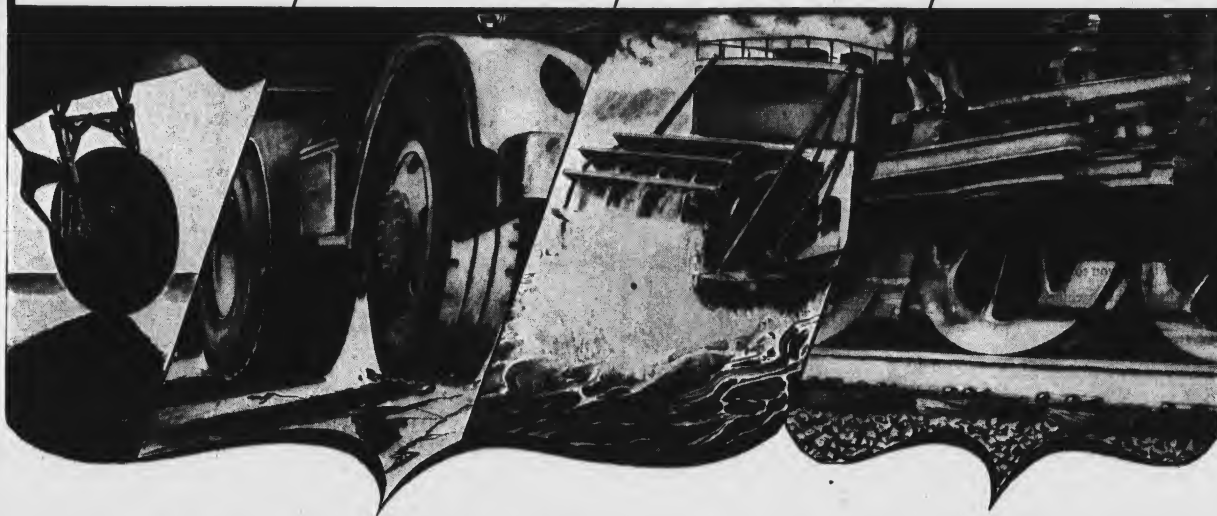
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7:41*	7:48*	:	7:18*	7:26*	7:35*
7:46*	7:54*	8:02*	7:48*	7:56*	8:05*
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8:46	8:54	9:02	:	8:00†	8:07†
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11:51	11:59	:	10:18	10:26	10:35
12:45	12:54	1:02	11:18	11:26	11:35
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2:45	2:54	3:02	1:18	1:26	1:35
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6:25†	6:34†	6:42†	5:18	5:26	5:35
6:55	7:04	7:12	:	6:15*	6:22*
7:05	7:12	:	6:18	6:26	6:35
7:45	7:54	8:02	7:18	7:26	7:35
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10:10	10:18	10:25	10:18	10:26	10:35
11:15	11:24	11:32	10:25	10:32	10:40
12:52	1:00	:	11:35	11:43	11:52
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All schedules Daily except as otherwise indicated.

†-Daily except Saturdays, Sundays, and Holidays.

‡-Sundays and Holidays Only.

*-Daily except Sundays and Holidays.

Woman's Bowling League Results

Dot Whitehead, of Shelly's, and Gloria Johnson, of the Spot, took high honors in Wednesday night's Women's Bowling League games, with 122 for high game, and 300 for high set respectively.

In team contests, Tidewater Gas took three games from Colonial Club; Princess Anne Florist, three from Community House, on a forfeit; The Spot took two from Minton's; M. & M. Lynnhaven, two from Virginia Beach Hardware; Shelly's, two from Colonial Ready-to-Wear; and Fuel and Feed, two from Seaside Seafood.

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Shelly's Team Wins Game in Portsmouth

Shelly's girls basketball team won their second straight league game in the Portsmouth "Y" gymnasium on Tuesday night by smothering the Citizens Trust team 31 to 2.

The game was featured by the defensive work of the Virginia Beach guards who did not allow the Trustees to score until the last five minutes of the game.

Betty Speight led the locals with 13 points; Mele McChesney was next with 8. Hoffer scored the Portsmouth team's only goal. The Shelly team is coached by John Tucker and Ireta Thiff.

who was injured in early season practice, is their manager.

Player	FG	FT	F Total
McChesney	1	1	2
Speight	3	2	8
Cake	6	1	13
Pimple	3	0	6
Harco	1	0	2
Trummer (Capt.)	0	0	0

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